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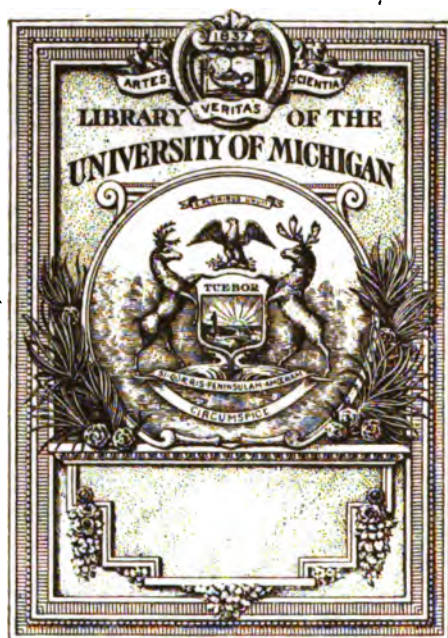
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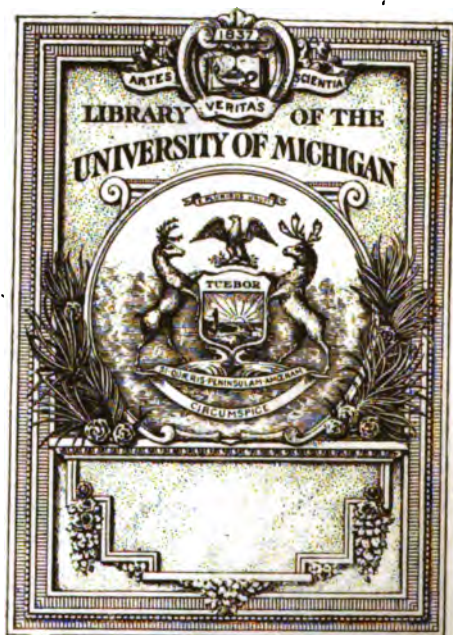
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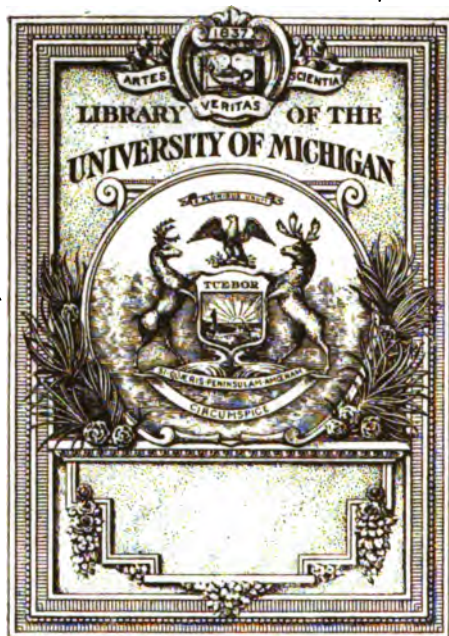


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FORTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

OF THE

CITY OF CONCORD. N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

DECEMBER 31, 1897,

TOGETHER WITH OTHER ANNUAL REPORTS AND PAPERS
RELATING TO THE AFFAIRS OF THE CITY.



CONCORD, N. H.:
THE RUMFORD PRESS.
1898.

MUNICIPAL REGULATIONS.

FOR PAYMENT OF BILLS AGAINST THE CITY.

All persons furnishing materials or service for the city, or aid to the city poor, should be particular to take the name of the person ordering such service, material, or aid, and should *know* that the person is duly authorized to contract said liability.

The city will not be holden for merchandise sold or delivered on city pauper account, except on the written order of the Overseer of the Poor, and for no longer time than until his successor shall have been appointed and qualified.

Duplicate copies will be required of all bills payable by the city, furnished on county pauper account.

All bills against the city must be approved by the person authorizing the charge; and unless this is done, no action can be had upon the bill by the Committee on Accounts and Claims, and no order will be given for its payment.

Bills so certified should be left with the City Auditor on or before the second day of the month.

If approved by him and by the Committee on Accounts and Claims, they will be ready for payment on Thursday following the regular monthly meeting of the City Government.

The regular monthly meetings of the City Government occur on the second Tuesday of each month.

JAMES O. LYFORD,
City Auditor.

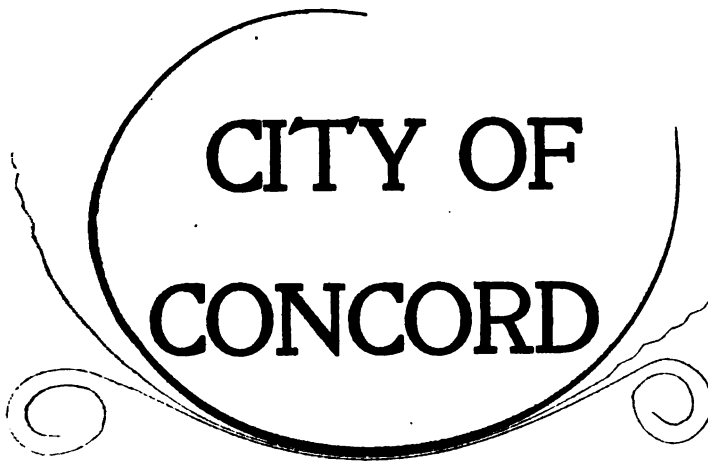
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Forty-fifth Annual Report

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For the year ending December 31,

***** 1897 *****

Mayor Woodworth's Inaugural Address.

GENTLEMEN OF THE CITY COUNCIL:

It would be ungracious in me not to express my deep appreciation of the confidence which the citizens of Concord have shown by trusting to me the highest executive office in their gift. But I can truly say that my realization of the anxieties and perplexities of the office has been so great that I have never had any ambition to assume such responsibilities. Nevertheless, I did not feel at liberty to refuse to obey the call of my fellow-citizens; and in assuming the duties of the mayoralty of our beloved city, I can but promise to bring to it all the ability and energy that in me lie, only regretting that I have not a much greater aptitude for the requirements of the office.

It is with a profound sense of our dependence on Almighty God for the greatest blessings of life, that I enter upon the duties of so important an office,—and in the responsibilities that are shared by the strong, honest, and conscientious men constituting the board of aldermen and common council, may we ever act for the best interests of the city which we serve, remembering always that whatever honor we gain is measured only by the honor we bring to the discharge of our duties.

FINANCE.

The examinations of the auditor of the city and his compilation of the city report have proceeded far enough to enable him to give some interesting figures pertaining to the city's indebtedness. These figures may be varied slightly by the adjustment of the accounts of the several departments, but in the main are correct.

What is known as the municipal funded debt of the city remains the same as last year, no bonds maturing in 1896.

The municipal debt not funded has been reduced \$19,550, by the payment of outstanding notes.

The available assets of the city are reduced \$25,000, by the settlement with the bondsmen of Albert I. Foster.

The uncollected taxes for the years 1893, 1894, and 1895 are but \$1,148.87, George A. Foster having collected, including interest, \$15,931.55 of those uncollected at the date of his appointment.

The water debt has been reduced \$10,000, by the payment of that amount of maturing bonds.

The precinct debt has been reduced by the payment of \$8,000 of the state-house bonds, closing out this obligation of the city incurred many years ago.

The floating debt of the precinct has also been reduced by the payment of \$10,000 of outstanding notes.

The school-district debt has been reduced by the payment of \$9,000 of Union School-district bonds, and \$500 of the bonds of School-district No. 20.

After taking care of the loss occasioned by the settlement of the city with the bondsmen of Albert I. Foster, the net reduction in the aggregate indebtedness of the municipality, the precinct, the school-districts, and the sewer precincts, is about \$33,000.

The following recapitulation is substantially correct, and will only be varied by the consideration of outstanding coupons due, but not presented, and by accrued interest not yet due.

RECAPITULATION.

Net regular municipal debt above assets	\$73,019.97
Net precinct debt	727,021.67
Net school-district debt	93,330.00
Net Penacook sewer debt	19,924.17
Net West Concord sewer debt	15,109.93
Net East Concord sewer debt	2,185.00
Aggregate indebtedness over available assets, Jan- uary 1, 1897	930,590.74
Aggregate indebtedness over available assets, Jan- uary 1, 1896	963,960.64
Decrease during the year	<u>\$33,369.90</u>

It must be very gratifying to every tax-payer of the city to see this most satisfactory reduction of the municipal indebtedness during the past year. It shows that the affairs of the city have been well conducted, and that the system employed in their management is as good as can be desired, in its practical results.

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS.

In looking over the addresses of my predecessors, it has been very gratifying to see how completely have been carried out the various wishes they have expressed for the improvement of our city. There are, indeed, but very few changes for the better, that they have recommended, which have not already been made. About twenty-five years ago, when Concord had attained considerable strength as a well-conducted municipality, there was begun a rather ample plan of permanent improvements, which have been carried on with a steadiness and persistency that have made our small city both substantial and beautiful. All this advantage which we now possess has been acquired not without large expenditures; and, from the time when it was necessary for the city to raise the large sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars to be continued as the capital of the state, a great deal of money has been expended for the improvements generally demanded by our citizens.

Among the first improvements were the water-works and the system of sewerage, the central fire station, and the iron bridges at Penacook and East Concord, and from that time on, the concession of betterments has had little interruption.

The ward six building, the fire stations at Penacook, East Concord, and West Concord; the Walker, Chandler, Franklin, Kimball, High, and Cogswell schools; the purchase of valuable land for the federal and state library buildings; the new police station, the lower bridge, the new iron free bridge, the wall and gateway of Blossom Hill cemetery, and the park improvements, including laying out of White street, are the principal objects which have aggregated a very large sum of money. All these works, substantial and finely built, are now our permanent possessions. We have them, and we must main-

tain them; there is no choice in the matter; and it is extremely doubtful, if the opportunity could be given to our citizens to go back to the time when we were without all these things, if any considerable number of people could be found who would for a moment entertain any such desire. We all believe that for the money laid out in public buildings, we have received its full value in the additional advantages which we have gained.

PARKS.

We are so fortunate as to have had the gift of two parks, which have added greatly to the beauty and comfort of our city. Particularly since the street railway has extended to White park, it has been most gratifying to see the great number of men, women, and children who have made use of the shady paths and the quiet resting-places so well arranged for their enjoyment. The children could be counted by hundreds who have been made happy by feeding the swans that were generously given by a lady who has not long been a resident of the town; and if her example could be followed by others in gifts that would give as great pleasure, it would be a happy thing for all.

Considering the amount of the appropriations that have been made for all the parks, the results have been surprisingly good. There is nothing that gives to a stranger a better impression of a city than a piece of land, however small, that is beautiful and adorned for the public good, nor is there anything more thoroughly appreciated by the average citizen of good, wholesome taste.

The building of a permanent fence for the south side of White park has been recommended by one of my predecessors; and that is a matter which it would be especially gratifying to me to have done, only it should extend along the east side as well. It was one of the conditions of the gift that the land should be fenced, and the temporary railing that was necessarily put up in the beginning must be replaced by a substantial fence as soon as it can possibly be provided for. When the regular appropriations are called for, for both White and Rollins parks,

it is to be hoped that they will be within limits that can be granted.

TAXES.

While the present tax rate, \$2.40, is a high one, the taxes of Concord are not high because of the low assessed valuation of a portion of the valuable property. If our assessors could get near the true value of the business property, merchandise, and money at interest, I have no doubt that the inventory would be so increased as to lower the rate to a very great degree. As an illustration of what I mean, a case can be mentioned of a piece of property that is on the tax-list at \$12,000 which recently sold for \$30,000.

Instead of trying to reduce the valuation of property to the very lowest point, there should be a disposition on the part of all, as there undoubtedly is on the part of many, to aid the assessors in getting at a true valuation. Every man should be as just in dealing with his city as with individuals. His public spirit should be great enough to insure this.

The burden of taxation is always most keenly felt by people of moderate circumstances, who have invested the largest part of their accumulations in modest homes. The frugal, thrifty, and industrious people, those who save their earnings to buy and support homes, constitute a large and most valuable part of our population. They should have absolutely fair dealing; and in order to secure this and to give perfect justice to all, those who have more property should be taxed in proportion to the full value of their possessions. It is just here that the assessors need to exercise not only sagacity and good business judgment, but above all, a spirit of fairness and impartiality. They should act as a body, and the fixing of the valuation should not be determined by the individual member of the board elected from the ward where the valuation is made. Surely this is a city where taxes ought to be cheerfully borne, we have so much to show for the expenditures of the past. I do not know that Concord will ever be a place where one can live especially cheaply; but since it combines so many advantages of city and country, has so high a moral tone, and pro-

vides so thoroughly for the educational needs of its children, it should attract in the future, as it has in the past, many who are looking for the most desirable kind of a community to dwell in, as well as for a suitable place to engage in business or manufacturing.

CHARITIES.

For scores of years, Concord has taken the lead in organizations of a helpful and charitable nature, and it has naturally become the centre of many institutions devoted to different kinds of people needing assistance. We have cause for just pride in the work that has been done for more than eighty years by the Concord Female Charitable society, the first one of the kind in New England and said to be the first in the United States. With such an influence in our midst, it is no wonder that every church in the municipality has its charitable organization which tries to reach every needy and deserving person. We have two homes for children, the Rolfe and Rumford Home for girls born in Concord, and the Orphans' Home near St. Paul's School, which was the first one in New Hampshire to care for needy little ones; and two others for adults, the Centennial Home for the Aged, and the Odd Fellows' Home. We are not called upon for direct assistance by any of these, but they are a great blessing in our midst both to those who give and receive, and they have our full sympathy.

For the Margaret Pillsbury hospital an appropriation of two thousand dollars a year has been made in the past, as is most suitable, for the support of free beds, and doubtless you will be asked to appropriate the same amount.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Our public schools have attained a very high degree of practical efficiency, and each year sees some advance over the year before, as must be the case where there is healthy life. We take very young children and give them the superintending care of thoughtful and experienced teachers, where every influence is directed towards the moral and mental development of the individual pupil,—but where consideration for others is

also a strong principle. From the beginning with the smallest children to the end of the course, it is the purpose of our superintendent and teachers to train our pupils to become good citizens. In no other city of New Hampshire are the children better fitted for college and technical schools than in Concord, while we give our pupils a far better preparation for the practical duties of life in the instruction they here enjoy in wood-work, sewing, and cooking. There is a great call, not only in our own but in foreign countries, for an effort to invest manual labor with the true dignity that should belong to all honest work, and if there is any way to do this so good as to have manual training put into our schools, as a supplement to, and on a level with, intellectual work, I do not know what it is.

Whatever training there is in our schools to make our boys and girls skilful with their hands and willing to use them, commands my hearty approval. Yet, greatly as our expenses have increased in the past ten years, like those of all the other cities of the land, the cost of education per capita is smaller than in several of the towns where fewer advantages are given. Probably no intelligent or progressive citizen would wish the present educational standard to be lowered, but in this department as in all others, it is greatly to be desired that the appropriations asked for be made as low as is possible, consistent with good and effective school management.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

It is a matter for congratulation that there is nothing but good to say of the work of the board of health and their efficient sanitary officer. Under them the various sanitary regulations of the city are thoroughly and quietly carried out, and this important part of the public service is well performed.

CEMETERIES.

There is no point of interest that appeals more universally to our people than the care of our cemeteries, and nothing gives us more sincere satisfaction than to see these hallowed resting-

places of our beloved dead grow more beautiful as the years go by. Fifteen years ago, there were but seven trust funds in possession of the city for the improvement of any of the cemeteries, but now there are ninety-two, a fact that testifies to a most laudable and growing interest in their care and adornment. It would be a gracious act if some benevolent heart should feel moved, in the near future, to erect in Blossom Hill cemetery a tasteful and appropriate chapel which is so much needed for the use of those who, having severed their ties with Concord, bring back their dead for interment here. If the financial condition of the city should warrant such an expenditure, I should feel moved to recommend the building of such a chapel, since those who know the needs best feel that it is a matter which should be promptly attended to. The board of cemetery commissioners feel that a larger appropriation is needed than was given last year, and their report closes with these words: "We cannot think for a moment that any good, respectable citizen ever thinks that anything is too good for the dead, or feels that taxation is burdensome owing to too large an appropriation for this department."

STREETS.

Probably, very few people realize the extraordinary length in miles of the streets and highways that we possess, and that must be kept in order. The town of Concord is nearly eight miles square, and six miles square is considered a large township. The last census gave 300 miles of streets and highways in Concord, while Manchester had but 147 (recent reports give 201), Nashua 80, and Dover 65 miles. The large cities of Lowell and Worcester had but 104 and 145 miles respectively, and even the great city of Boston is credited with but 408 miles of streets. This shows something of what we have to contend with comparatively in our efforts to maintain good streets and roads, and it will be well for all who have been disposed to complain that they have not all been kept in the best condition, to reflect carefully upon the stubborn facts just quoted concerning our actual state of affairs. The regular and fixed expenses

of the highway department, such as ploughing snow from the sidewalks and sanding icy places, keeping clear the catchbasins, carrying on the night cleaning of the business portions of the town, and the general cleaning of spring and fall, average about nine thousand dollars a year. All this, like many other things in life, is a necessary requirement, but has nothing to show for it.

No material interest of our city appeals more strongly to me personally than this matter of good roads, and it seems to me absolutely essential to keep those which we now have in as good condition as at present; but with the high tax-rate now required it would seem wise to keep at the very minimum appropriations for new streets, and for permanent improvements in this particular direction.

We labor under the great disadvantage of not having very good material for road building, the crushed granite, which has been mostly used, wearing away into very fine dust that is bad enough when dry, but is worse when it turns to mud in rainy weather. It is to be hoped that future experiments may bring to light something better in the way of road material that can be used to advantage on our streets. It will probably be well for the city, when it can be afforded, to buy a portable stone-crusher to save hauling stone the long distances now necessary from the crusher to the points where it needs to be used.

STREET LIGHTING.

The street lighting department shows a great increase in expenses during the past ten years, and I have no hesitation in declaring Concord to be now one of the best lighted of cities. This condition of things may be regarded as a great luxury, but it has come to seem to every one a strict necessity.

WATER WORKS.

There are water-works bonds to the amount of \$680,000, which are properly put down as a liability of the city, but they constitute in reality a valuable property, which is not only self-sustaining, but which will undoubtedly return a sufficient revenue

to meet the bonds as they become due, ten thousand dollars having been discharged the past year. It is important for all our citizens to recognise the fact that the water works are owned by the property owners of Concord, and that the officials are but our agents. The superintendent is a man to be commended for the thoroughness and impartiality of his management of this important department. The introduction of meters is increasing as fast as possible, and in using water that is measured every one pays for what he uses, so that there can be no unfairness. It is not expected that the revenue will be increased by the universal use of meters, but it is certain that a great deal of waste will be prevented, and that is a matter of the utmost importance to us all. We are favored now with higher water in Penacook lake than for many years, but we cannot tell how soon it may be greatly decreased in quantity by want of rain, and we need to prevent having it wantonly or thoughtlessly wasted. Few, probably, realize the great amount of gratuitous service given to the city by the water commissioners, and it is doubtful if any other city in the country has received anywhere near as much of this gratuitous service as Concord has in this department. We are to be congratulated that in two branches of so much importance as the water-supply and schools, we are entirely free from any political influence or interference.

SEWERS.

Next to the abundant supply of good water follows the necessity of providing for carrying it off by means of proper sewerage. Two years ago, my predecessor, in his inaugural address, indicated the pending need of the near future as follows: "We shall be asked to enlarge the central sewerage system during the year at a large expense. There will undoubtedly be a demand for the extension of the South End sewer, from its terminus at the junction of Allison and South streets into and through the Bow Brook valley, which is expected to meet the growing needs of the territory west of Bow Brook and that near the jail and west of Auburn street." Petitions for this extension were brought before the board of

aldermen and referred to the sewer committee, before which hearings were held, and the matter was referred to the incoming board. Therefore this important subject will come up, and you will be required to take action upon it. There is no doubt of the need of this extension. As I understand it, there are forty-five houses, besides the Odd Fellows' home, the jail, and Bow Brook school with eighty or more children, in great need of sewer accommodations. Wherever children go to school in large numbers, it is essential that all sanitary conditions should be so good as to offer no menace to good health. If an appropriation for this sewer extension should be granted, it might be met by a twenty-year loan, which could doubtless be carried at the rate of three and one-half per cent., and, in my judgment, long before the expiration of that time, the taxable property would be so increased, as a result of the building of the sewer, that the city would gain more than its cost.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

The engineering department, a comparatively new one, is indeed most important, embracing as it does all the work on public grounds, the care of bridges, the laying of water-pipes and sewers, the establishing of grades, and the care of all plans of public works and improvements. I am informed by the city engineer that one of the bridges over the Contoocook at Penacook will need to be replaced in the near future by a new and safe structure.

POLICE.

Good order and protection of person and property are demanded of every municipal government. So far as I know, this city has been very fortunate in its police officers, and I hear no complaint of inefficiency on the part of any one of the force. Up to the time that Concord had between 14,000 and 15,000 inhabitants, a city marshal and four assistants constituted our regular police force. About ten years ago this force began to be increased considerably, and during the construction of the Sewall's falls dam, when a good many foreigners

were employed, it was only acting the part of prudence to employ a sufficient force to ensure safety and good order. It is always easier to increase than to diminish, and the police commission do not see the way clear to reduce the force when the public demand more rather than less service of this kind. The last census shows that Concord had nearly the smallest per cent. of police force to the number of inhabitants of any town or city in the United States, and as one policeman to one thousand inhabitants is considered a low average, it will be seen that we still maintain a considerably less force than comes within that limit. The request of the city marshal for pneumatic tires for the ambulance is one that seems to me should be granted, since too much care cannot be taken to ease those suffering from accidents or illness, but I am of the opinion that we cannot now afford a stable, which is asked for, desirable as it would be if conditions were different.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Our fire department is now planned on a scale that would be adequate to the needs of a considerably larger town than we are at present. During the last two years twenty-nine new tappers have been added, making the whole number connecting with houses of firemen, forty-five, and eight new fire-alarm boxes have been put in. The chief asks for three more to still further increase the efficiency of the department. The new battery service is a great improvement and is not only a great saving of expense, but it is supposed to be always in working order. The past year has been marked by but one large fire, the burning of the Prescott Piano factory; and the promptness with which calls for assistance have been met by the department has resulted in the extinguishing of such fires as it has been called upon to attend to, so that no conflagrations have occurred, with the single exception mentioned. Judging as well as I can from the necessarily superficial knowledge which I have been able to obtain, I am impressed with the belief that the chief of the department desires to keep the expenses as low as may be, and that he will do his best to

maintain its efficiency with such appropriations as you may think it wise and necessary to set apart for this department.

LIQUOR EVIL.

The liquor evil will always be with us while human passions remain as they are, and I have always been an interested observer of the practical effects upon this evil, of the different policies pursued in dealing with it. It has seemed to me that the prohibitory law was the best one for New Hampshire, since it can be thoroughly enforced in many towns, and in all of them the authorities can work towards that end. Many people are clamoring for a law that can be lived up to in this matter of intemperance, but it has always seemed to me an absurdity to limit a law to what can be absolutely enforced. "Thou shalt not" is the beginning of each prohibitory command of the Moral Law, although each one has been continually broken since it was given forth. Following that model, we do well to enact the strongest law that we can have, and then we want to work towards the best possible enforcement of that law. I have no quarrel to make with those who believe honestly in a license law. If I knew that such a law would certainly lessen the evil of drunkenness, I should doubtless favor it, since that is the end which I most desire, but I have never yet been convinced of its value as a policy for the suppression of that greatest of evils.

INDEMNITY BONDS.

In the light of recent experience, I would recommend, in every case where a bond is required from officials handling public funds, that the same be secured from some one of the fidelity insurance companies. The advantage to the official would be that he is freed from personal obligation in seeking bondsmen, and to the city that it would have the security of corporate rather than individual guarantee, as well as the supervision of the company over its insurance.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

It cannot by any one be called invidious if I state here that in no department of progress have there been such strides made as in the improvements at the public library. The new and improved methods of cataloguing and shelving of the books have entailed vast labor upon the librarian and her assistants, for it was only by their unremitting help that the great work of making the card catalogue was reduced to one year, instead of requiring the estimated two years for its accomplishment. If the public would learn briefly and completely what has been done at the library, they should read with great care the librarian's report to the trustees. The most cordial spirit of encouragement to come and use the books and periodicals, either in the reading-room or at home, is apparent to all, and while the rules are thoroughly enforced, as they must be for true efficiency and for the best good of all, every effort is made to secure to each patron exactly what he seeks. Just what the spirit of the institution is can be shown by a few words from the librarian's report, which I gladly quote: "The joy the librarian feels when a child aspires or can be led to something better in his reading, is as keen as that felt by parents or teachers over an upward step, and it is an equally great pleasure to have an adult seek and find on our shelves the literary tools he craves to make him a cleverer artisan or a more profound thinker." In this department of public growth, it is to be hoped that the usual appropriation will be cheerfully granted.

PETITIONS.

I wish to speak a word of caution about signing petitions for public improvements, because it is a notorious fact that many do this without care or thought of what they are signing. One's name should never be lightly given, and above all things, one should never sign a petition without reading it carefully, and deciding that it is in behalf of a cause which he desires to promote. If this should always be done, petitions would mean more than they do at present, and they would be of far more value to the ones to whom they are presented, as indicating the

exact wishes of their constituents. It may be added that they would not be so numerous as they now are.

With all possible earnestness I want to urge upon the heads of departments that they manage the appropriations set aside for them, with the greatest economy and care. It is by no means necessary to spend a certain sum of money because it has been appropriated, and any saving that can be made without injury to the interests entrusted to the care of public guardians will be regarded as an evidence of prudence and economical management.

One of the most gratifying characteristics of the great national campaign of last year was the intense spirit of unselfish patriotism that was shown all over the country. Men everywhere were more anxious for the well-being of the whole country than for their own individual good. We heard much about honor, integrity, and honesty as the very foundation upon which the safety and continuance of our republic rest. And it is just such a spirit of loyalty to the public good of this city that I should like to see actuating every man who has been chosen as a public servant to help administer municipal affairs. We shall have many commonplace duties to perform, but in the aggregate they will all be important as parts of a great whole, and we cannot be too careful to bring to their consideration sincere purpose and conscientious action.

Ordinances and Joint Resolutions

PASSED DURING THE

YEAR ENDING JANUARY 26, 1898.

CITY OF CONCORD.

ORDINANCES.

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE FURNISHING OF OFFICIAL BONDS BY CITY OFFICERS.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. Bonds shall be required of the following city officers as follows: City treasurer, twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars; tax collector, twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars; city auditor, five thousand (5,000) dollars; city clerk, five thousand (5,000) dollars; commissioner of highways, three thousand (3,000) dollars; city liquor agent, two thousand (2,000) dollars; city marshal, five hundred (500) dollars; assistant city marshal, five hundred (500) dollars.

SEC. 2. Bonds required of the foregoing officers shall be those of surety companies licensed by the insurance commissioner to do business in this state, if in terms such bonds comply with the requirements of the city ordinances and the laws of this state and the board of mayor and aldermen are satisfied of the financial ability of the company as such surety; otherwise, a bond may be given in double the amount specified in the foregoing section, with sureties to the satisfaction of the board of mayor and aldermen; provided such sureties are owners of unencumbered real estate to the value of the penal sum of said bond.

SEC. 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed and this ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

Passed January 26, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING THE SALARY OF THE POLICE COMMISSIONERS AND IN AMENDMENT OF SECTION 13 OF CHAPTER 37 OF THE REVISED ORDINANCES.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. Each member of the board of police commissioners shall receive in full for his services the sum of fifty dollars per annum, to be paid to him at the expiration of each year during his term of office.

SEC. 2. Section 13 of Chapter 37 of the Revised Ordinances is hereby repealed, and this ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

Passed March 9, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE ENLARGING SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 20, STREET-LIGHTING PRECINCT.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. That School District No. 20, Street-lighting Precinct, shall be, and hereby is, enlarged by the addition thereto of the territory on the southwesterly side of said precinct, beginning at the intersection of the southerly line of said precinct, with Main street; thence by said Main street to the intersection of the Borough road, so-called, with Main street near the southeast corner of land owned by John Chadwick; thence running westerly by said Borough road to the land of A. C. Bean; thence southerly and westerly by land of said Bean and Amos C. Elliot to the road leading from said Borough road to the Claremont railroad near the Ferrin ledge; thence southerly by said road to the southeast corner of the farm of the late Rufus D. Scales; thence westerly and northerly by said farm to the land of Elmer E. Welch; thence westerly and northerly by land of said Welch and land of Frank P. Davis to the Borough road, before mentioned; thence by said road to the southwest corner of the farm of the late Martha J. Morrill, meaning to include in the addition all the land included between the above described line and the present boundary of said Street-lighting precinct.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Passed March 9, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE PLACING CERTAIN LANDS UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. That all the land owned by the city of Concord, formerly a portion of the city farm, lying on the northerly and westerly sides of Lake street and the highway leading in continuance thereof along the shore of Forge pond to the land purchased by the city of Concord through its board of water commissioners from Mary C. Rowell, be, and the same hereby is, placed under the management and control of the board of water commissioners.

SEC. 2. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed, and this ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

Passed March 9, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR FOR THE USE OF THE CITY.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and ratable estates within said city the sum of fifty-seven thousand dollars (\$57,000), to defray the necessary expenses and charges of the city for the ensuing financial year, which, together with the sums that may be raised by taxes on railroads and from other sources, shall be appropriated as follows:

For payment Memorial Arch bonds	\$5,000.00
For payment of interest	4,000.00
For support of the city poor	700.00
For incidentals and land damages, including expense of indemnity bonds for city officers	5,000.00
For committee service	1,410.00
For printing and stationery	2,500.00
For legal expenses	200.00
For beds at Margaret Pillsbury Hospital	2,000.00
For Decoration Day	345.00

For aid dependent soldiers	\$500.00
For public school text-books	2,800.00
For open-air concerts	300.00
For Blossom Hill Cemetery	2,500.00
For Old North Cemetery	350.00
For West Concord Cemetery	100.00
For Old Fort Cemetery, for completion of wall by contract	300.00
For Millville Cemetery	100.00
For Horse Hill Bridge Cemetery	50.00
For White Park	3,250.00
For Rollins Park	750.00
For Penacook Park	100.00
For improvement public commons	175.00
For lobby at Penacook, by contract not exceeding .	900.00
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	\$33,330.00

FOR SALARIES.

Mayor	\$1,000.00
City clerk	1,200.00
Overseer of poor, Wards 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9	200.00
Overseer of poor, Ward 1	30.00
Overseer of poor, Ward 2	10.00
City auditor	1,000.00
City solicitor	500.00
City treasurer	250.00
City messenger	600.00
Care of city clocks	85.00
Clerk of common council	50.00
Board of Education, Union School District .	250.00
Board of Education, District No. 20 . . .	25.00
Town District school board	200.00
Nine assessors	2,700.00
Nine moderators	27.00
Nine ward clerks	90.00
Twenty-seven selectmen	135.00
Judge police court	800.00
Clerk of police court	200.00
Collector of taxes, so much as may be nec- essary of the sum of	1,600.00
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	\$10,952.00

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

For salary of librarian, assistants, and janitor	\$2,550.00	
For purchase of books and magazines	1,200.00	
For printing, including new fiction catalogue	400.00	
For fuel and lights	350.00	
For binding	500.00	
For incidentals	500.00	
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BOARD OF HEALTH.

For salary of health officer	\$800.00	
For salary of board of health	75.00	
For rent	108.00	
For lights	12.00	
For care of pest-house	15.00	
For assistance in sanitary inspection	100.00	
For bacteriological tests	150.00	
For materials for fumigation	27.00	
For incidental expenses of contagious diseases	175.00	
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POLICE AND WATCH.

Salary city marshal	\$1,200.00	
Salary deputy	900.00	
Salary captain of watch	850.00	
Pay nine patrolmen	7,200.00	
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Pay of janitor	225.00	
Pay of special policemen	300.00	
Fuel of city proper	200.00	
Fuel, Penacook	25.00	
Board of horse and shoeing	285.00	
Extra horse hire in city	30.00	
Extra horse hire in Penacook	30.00	
Lights	190.00	
Rent at Penacook	108.00	
Telephone and street gong at Penacook	50.00	
Water	28.00	
Ice	15.00	

Repairs and incidentals	\$100.00	
Helmets and buttons	75.00	
Uniforms for special police	50.00	
Police commissioners	150.00	
New boiler	350.00	
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		\$12,361.00

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

For salary of commissioner of highways .	\$1,400.00	
For general maintenance and repairs .	18,000.00	
For permanent work, including portable stone crusher	8,000.00	
For cleaning streets	4,000.00	
For new concrete (sidewalks and crossings)	3,000.00	
For repairing concrete	1,500.00	
For catch basins, construction and cleaning	800.00	
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		\$36,700.00

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

City engineer, salary	\$1,500.00	
Assistants, salary	1,000.00	
For supplies	100.00	
For repairs	50.00	
For rent	204.00	
For incidentals	146.00	
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		\$3,000.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Chief engineer, salary	\$950.00	
Assistant engineers (precinct), salary	250.00	
Permanent men, pay-rolls	5,568.00	
Kearsarge Steamer Co., pay-rolls	1,010.00	
Eagle Steamer Co., pay-rolls	1,010.00	
Hook and Ladder Co., pay-rolls	1,615.00	
Governor Hill Relief Co., pay- rolls	195.00	
Alert Hose Co., pay-rolls	815.00	
Good Will Hose Co., pay-rolls	815.00	
Pioneer Steamer Co., pay-rolls	500.00	
Pioneer Steamer Co., salary en- gineer	75.00	

Pioneer Steamer Co., salary as-	
sistant engineer	\$25.00
Pioneer Steamer Co., steward	30.00
Pioneer Steamer Co., janitor	45.00
Cataract Co., pay-rolls	240.00
Cataract Co., salary assistant en-	
gineer	10.00
Cataract Co., steward	15.00
Cataract Co., janitor	15.00
Old Fort Co., pay-rolls	240.00
Old Fort Co., salary assistant en-	
gineer	10.00
Old Fort Co., steward	15.00
Rent of rooms, Veteran Fire-	
men's Association	150.00
For extra men for vacation	218.00
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	\$13,816.00
For forage	1,411.00
For fuel	640.60
For lights	500.00
For water	116.50
For horse shoeing	280.00
For hats, five dozen	315.00
For three alarm boxes	225.00
For relining old hose	150.00
For new wagon for chief engineer	160.00
For one pair of horses	300.00
For horse hire	300.00
For washing	105.00
For current for fire alarm	36.00
For labor, wire, etc., fire-alarm line	300.00
For supplies for open circuit batteries	25.00
For supplies for chemical engine	50.00
For supplies for pony extinguishers	12.00
For hose and incidentals	1,257.90
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	\$20,000.00

Passed March 30, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE GAS AND SEWERAGE PRECINCT FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

SECTION 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and ratable estates within the gas and sewerage precinct of said city the sum of sixteen thousand one hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents (\$16,187.50) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of the precinct for the ensuing financial year, which shall be appropriated as follows :

For the payment of interest that may become due on sewer bonds	\$1,670.00
For the payment of city precinct note	500.00
For the payment of interest on note	17.50
For the lighting of streets in said precinct	10,500.00
For the construction and maintenance of sewers in said precinct	3,500.00
Passed March 30, 1897.	

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE PENACOOK SEWERAGE PRECINCT FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

SECTION 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and ratable estates within the Penacook sewerage precinct the sum of fourteen hundred and sixty dollars (\$1,460) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of said precinct for the ensuing financial year, which shall be appropriated as follows :

For the payment of the sum becoming due in accordance with an ordinance creating a sinking fund	\$500.00
For the payment of interest that may become due on precinct bonds	960.00
Passed March 30, 1897.	

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE EAST CONCORD SEWERAGE PRECINCT FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

SECTION 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and ratable estates within the East Concord sewerage precinct the sum of four hundred and twenty-eight dollars and seventy-five cents (\$428.75) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of said precinct for the ensuing financial year, which shall be appropriated as follows :

For the payment of the sum becoming due in accordance with an ordinance creating a sinking fund	\$100.00
For the payment of interest that may become due on precinct bonds	70.00
For the payment of maturing note	250.00
For the payment of interest on note	8.75
Passed March 30, 1897.	

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE WEST CONCORD SEWERAGE PRECINCT FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

SECTION 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and ratable estates within the West Concord sewerage precinct the sum of eleven hundred and eighty dollars (\$1,180) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of said precinct for the ensuing financial year, which shall be appropriated as follows :

For the payment of the sum becoming due in accordance with an ordinance creating the sinking fund	\$500.00
For the payment of interest that may become due on precinct bonds	680.00
Passed March 30, 1897.	

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE STREET SPRINKLING PRECINCT FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

SECTION 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and ratable estates within the street sprinkling precinct of said city the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of the street sprinkling precinct for the ensuing financial year, which shall be appropriated as follows :

For sprinkling streets, \$4,000.

Passed March 30, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE CITY WATER PRECINCT FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

SECTION 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and ratable estates within the water precinct of the city the sum of six thousand dollars (\$6,000) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of the water precinct for the ensuing financial year, which shall be appropriated as follows :

For water for hydrant service, \$6,000.

Passed March 30, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR FOR THE SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

SECTION 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and-ratable estates within said city the sum of thirty-four thousand seven hundred and five dollars

(\$34,705) for the support of schools for the ensuing financial year, which, together with the income from the Abial Walker fund, shall be appropriated and divided among the several school districts according to the valuation thereof.

Passed April 13, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND COMMITTEE ON LIGHTING STREETS TO MAKE A CONTRACT WITH THE CONCORD LAND AND WATER POWER COMPANY.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the committee on lighting streets, with the mayor added, be, and hereby are, authorized to sign a contract on behalf of said city, with the Concord Land and Water Power Company, for twelve (12) police lamps, more or less, of twenty-four (24) candle power, four thousand (4,000) hours each per year, all night, and every night, same to be lighted by the Electric Light Company, and extinguished by the police, at fifteen dollars (\$15) per annum per light. Said contract to date from the earliest possible time in which above lights can be properly equipped by the company, and to continue for five (5) years, and all lamps and material, including repairs and maintenance, be furnished by the company.

Passed April 13, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE OPENING AND OBSTRUCTION OF STREETS AND SIDEWALKS.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. The authority now vested in the mayor and board of aldermen to grant licenses to persons to dig up, obstruct, or encumber the streets, sidewalks, and highways of the city, is herewith conferred upon the commissioner of highways, under such rules and regulations as he shall establish.

SECT. 2. No person shall break or dig up the ground or stones in any street or sidewalk, or erect any staging for building, or place or deposit any stones, bricks, timber, or other building materials thereon, without first obtaining a written

and aldermen May 28, 1897, bonds of said city shall be issued to an amount not exceeding (\$25,000) twenty-five thousand dollars, in the manner and for the amounts hereafter specified.

SECT. 2. Bonds of said city shall be issued for the purposes aforesaid, signed by the mayor and the city treasurer, and countersigned by the city clerk, and shall in all respects comply with the provisions of the "Municipal Bonds Act of 1895." Said bonds shall be dated July 1, 1897, numbered consecutively from one to twenty-five inclusive, and shall be for the sum of one thousand dollars each, and shall be due and payable on the first day of July, 1917. Said bonds shall be payable to the bearer with interest at a rate not exceeding three and one-half (3½) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of January and July in each year, upon the presentation of the coupons attached to said bonds respectively.

SECT. 3. The treasurer is hereby authorized to procure proposals for the sale of the bonds hereby authorized, and such bids as seem for the best interest of the city shall be accepted by him, provided the same are approved by the finance committee.

SECT. 4. That all of said bonds owned by citizens of said city of Concord shall be exempt from taxation as provided in Chapter 55, Section 14, of the Public Statutes.

Passed June 8, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS OF
THE GAS AND SEWERAGE PRECINCT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION
AND MAINTENANCE OF SEWERS.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the unexpended balance of the appropriations for the gas and sewerage precinct for the year 1896, viz., the sum of six hundred and fifty-one dollars and forty-one cents (\$651.41) and the miscellaneous receipts credited to the account of said precinct for the year 1896, viz., the sum of sixty-nine dollars and forty-two cents (\$69.42), a total of seven hundred and twenty dollars and eighty-three cents (\$720.83), are hereby appropriated for the construction and maintenance of sewers of said precinct.

Passed September 14, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING AN ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION FOR THE CARE AND MAINTENANCE OF BLOSSOM HILL CEMETERY.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the sum of twenty-seven hundred dollars (\$2,700.00) be, and the same is hereby, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated as an additional appropriation for the care and maintenance of Blossom Hill Cemetery.

Passed September 14, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING AN ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION FOR ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300) be, and the same is hereby, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for roads and bridges, for the construction and cleaning of catch basins.

Passed October 12, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR CHANGE IN THE LOCATION OF CONCORD STREET R. R. IN WARD ONE.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the sum of six hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$625) be, and the same is hereby, appropriated for the purpose of meeting the expense incident to the carrying out of an agreement with the Concord Street R. R. for the change in the location of their track on Main street in Ward One, and that the same be charged to incidentals.

Passed October 12, 1897.

RESOLUTIONS.

A JOINT RESOLUTION IN RELATION TO PAYING SALARIES, PAY-ROLLS, AND RENTS.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the mayor be and hereby is authorized to draw his warrant on the city treasurer for the payment of all salaries, pay-rolls, and rents as the same shall become due and be approved by the city auditor during the present municipal term, and all bills so paid shall be laid before the committee on accounts and claims at their next meeting.

Passed January 26, 1897.

A RESOLUTION RELATING TO A RE-APPRAISAL OF TAXABLE PROPERTY.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the assessors of said city acting together as a board are hereby requested to make a specific re-appraisal, prior to the assessment of taxes for the current year, of all property, real and personal, in the business section of the city, and of the stock in trade of all merchants.

Passed March 9, 1897.

A RESOLUTION OFFERING A REWARD OF THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of three hundred dollars is hereby offered as a reward for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties concerned in the desecration of the grave of Mrs. Zelotus Stevens, in Blossom Hill cemetery, Sunday morning, February 21, 1897.

Passed March 9, 1897.

A RESOLUTION IN FAVOR OF JOHN J. TRENOWETH.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of thirty-seven dollars and sixty-three cents (\$37.63) be paid to John J. Trenoweth out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, in full settlement of his claim for unpaid salary as a member of Hook & Ladder Co. No. 1 for the years 1894 and 1895.

Passed March 9, 1897.

RESOLUTIONS PROVIDING FOR THE REMOVAL OF PLANS AND SECTIONS.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the city clerk be authorized and instructed to permit the city engineer to take from the vaults containing the same volumes one and two of plans and sections showing street grades for use in the office of said city engineer, the same to be returned when the purpose for which they are taken is completed.

Passed March 30, 1897.

RESOLUTION EXEMPTING THE PENACOOK MANUFACTURING COMPANY FROM TAXATION.

WHEREAS, The Penacook Manufacturing company, a corporation organized under the general laws of state of New Hampshire, purposes to purchase the manufacturing plant, including real estate, machinery, tools, and other personal property known as the "H. H. Amsden & Co. plant" in Ward 1, in said city of Concord, for the purpose of putting the same in operation for manufacturing plumber's supplies of all kinds, and for the working of woods and metals. Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the city council of the city of Concord, that said plant and the capital used in operating the same be exempt from taxation to said Penacook Manufacturing company, for the term of ten years from the passage hereof, according to the provisions of section 11 of chapter 55 of the Public Statutes of New Hampshire.

Provided that said company shall within thirty days invest in said plant a sum not less than fifteen thousand dollars.

Provided, also, that after one year said exemption shall continue for only such part of said ten years as said corporation shall employ a force of at least twenty-five operatives on said plant.

Passed March 30, 1897.

A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND COMMITTEE ON LIGHTING STREETS TO MAKE A CONTRACT WITH THE CONCORD LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY FOR CONCORD GAS LIGHT COMPANY FOR GASLIGHTS.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the committee on lighting streets, with the mayor added, be and hereby are, authorized to sign a contract on behalf of said city with the Concord Light and Power company, for the Concord Gaslight company, to furnish gas, lighting and extinguishing one hundred and thirteen (113) street lamps (more or less), burning five (5) cubic feet of gas per hour, one thousand four hundred and sixty-three (1,463) hours each per year, sunset to midnight, twenty (20) nights each month, twelve dollars (\$12.00) per annum per lamp, extra nights pro rata. Said contract to be for five (5) years from March 1, 1897.

Passed March 30, 1897.

A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON LANDS AND BUILDINGS TO BUILD A LOBBY IN WARD 1.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the joint standing committee on lands and buildings of the city council be, and the same hereby are, authorized and instructed to have built a substantial brick building adjoining the fire station at Penacook, for the use of the police department. Said building to contain four brick cells, suitable sanitary arrangements, and to be heated by steam taken from fire station boiler.

Said committee to procure proposals for constructing the same, and to let the work by contract to the lowest bidder, at a total cost not exceeding nine hundred dollars (\$900.00), to be charged to the appropriation made for the same.

Passed April 13, 1897.

A JOINT RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE PREMISES BELONGING TO THE CITY HERETOFORE OCCUPIED BY KIMBALL, DANFORTH & FORREST IN THE REAR OF POLICE STATION.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the commissioner of highways is hereby instructed in behalf of said city to take possession of the premises in the rear of the police station belonging to said city, heretofore occupied by Kimball, Danforth & Forrest as a lumber yard, and to clear the same and keep the same clear and open for public use.

Passed April 13, 1897.

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PUBLICATION OF THE REAL ESTATE VALUATION OF THE CITY ASSESSORS.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the board of assessors be requested to prepare for publication in the *Daily Monitor* and *Daily People and Patriot* a list of the real estate valuations of Concord as established by them for the assessment of taxes for the year 1897, describing the property by street, number, and owner's name; and that the mayor be authorized to contract with said newspapers for publishing said list, provided such publication can be had at an expense not exceeding \$150.00 for each paper.

Passed April 13, 1897.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPOINTING A COMMITTEE TO PURCHASE A PORTABLE STONE CRUSHER.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That a committee of three, consisting of the mayor, the commissioner of highways, and Alderman Rowell, be appointed to purchase a portable stone crusher for the city, with full power to make such selection as in their judgment the interests of the city demand.

Passed May 11, 1897.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING MONEY FOR RE-IMBURSING CERTAIN PERSONS FOR OVERPAID TAXES.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of one hundred and sixty-one dollars and eight cents (\$161.08) be, and the same is hereby, appropriated to be paid as follows: To Arthur Bourlet, over-valuation in 1896, twelve dollars and ninety-two cents; to B. W. Couch, excess in taxes 1895, five dollars and eighteen cents; to Henry W. Stevens, trustee Woodward estate, error in taxes, 1896, four dollars and eighty cents; to Samuel Holt, for over-charge in taxes, 1888 to 1896, inclusive, one hundred and thirty-eight dollars and eighteen cents. And that the same be charged to the appropriation for incidentals.

Passed June 8, 1897.

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR A TEMPORARY LOAN OF TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$25,000) IN PAYMENT OF THE NOTE FOR THAT AMOUNT BECOMING DUE JUNE 10, 1897, THE SAME HAVING BEEN GIVEN FOR A TEMPORARY LOAN.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the city treasurer, under the advice and direction of the committee on finance, be, and he hereby is, authorized to procure, by temporary loan upon the credit of the city, the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), at the lowest practical per centum, to be used in the payment of the note given by the city for a temporary loan for that amount, which said note was issued December 10, 1896, and becomes due June 10, 1897; and the said sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) is hereby appropriated for that purpose.

Passed June 8, 1897.

A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR TEMPORARY LOAN NOT EXCEEDING IN TOTAL FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS, TO MEET THE USUAL AND CURRENT EXPENSES OF THE PRESENT FISCAL YEAR AS THEY MAY BECOME DUE.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the city treasurer, under the advice and direction of the committee on finance, is hereby authorized to procure for sixty

days, by temporary loans upon the credit of the city, such sum as may be necessary, not exceeding in total fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000), at the lowest practical per centum, to be used exclusively in meeting the usual and current expenses of the city during the present fiscal year, as they become due.

Passed June 8, 1897.

A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COMMITTEE ON LANDS AND BUILDINGS TO PROCURE NEW CARPETS FOR THE ROOMS OCCUPIED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AND CITY CLERK.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the committee on lands and buildings be, and is hereby, authorized to procure for the rooms occupied by the city council and city clerk, new carpets at an expense not exceeding one hundred dollars, said sum to be paid from the funds in the hands of the city treasurer appropriated for incidentals.

Passed June 8, 1897.

A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN ADDITIONAL EXPENDITURE FOR THE OLD FORT CEMETERY WALL.

Resolved by the City Council in the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the completion of the wall of the Old Fort Cemetery.

Passed July 13, 1897.

A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING REPAIRS ON THE ROOMS IN CITY HALL BUILDING OCCUPIED BY MILITARY COMPANIES.

Resolved by the City Council in the City of Concord, as follows:

That the committee on lands and buildings be, and hereby are, authorized to cause such repairs to be made on the rooms occupied by the two military companies in City Hall building, as they may think proper, the amount to be expended not to exceed the sum of fifty dollars and to be charged to the appropriation for incidentals.

Passed September 14, 1897.

A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE USE OF ANY UNEXPENDED BALANCE OF THE PROCEEDS OF THE SALE OF BONDS ISSUED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE SOUTH END SEWER.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That any part of the proceeds of the sale of bonds, authorized by ordinance of the city of Concord, passed June 8, 1897, not required for the construction of the South End sewer, may be used in the construction of lateral connections therewith, and the sum of thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500.00) of said balance is hereby appropriated for the construction of lateral connections with said South End sewer during the year 1897.

Passed September 14, 1897.

A JOINT RESOLUTION MAKING AVAILABLE CERTAIN UNEXPENDED BALANCES OF THE APPROPRIATION FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That so much as may be necessary of the unexpended balance of the appropriation for the fire department, allotted to the purchase of forage and horses, be and the same is hereby made available for relining old hose.

Passed September 14, 1897.

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR A RAILING AROUND A PORTION OF THE CITY MARKET PLACE.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the committee on lands and buildings be and are hereby authorized and instructed to expend not exceeding \$35 to defray the expense of placing railings on the city market lot, said railings to be placed as follows: One railing to be placed sixty feet south from Warren street and parallel therewith extending from the police station building to Odd Fellows' avenue, so-called; also a railing extending from the southeast corner of the police station building to the building occupied by W. G. C. Kimball; also a railing extending from the southwest corner of said building occupied by W. G. C. Kimball, westerly to Odd Fellows' avenue, so-called, along the north side of the passway leading to Main street, leaving openings for passage of teams. The

expenditure thus authorized to be charged to the appropriation for incidentals.

Passed November 9, 1897.

A JOINT RESOLUTION IN RELATION TO THE USE OF THE APPROPRIATION FOR ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Resolved by the City Council in the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200.00) appropriated for permanent work on highways be and the same is hereby made available for catch basins in addition to the amount already appropriated for that purpose.

Passed November 9, 1897.

A JOINT RESOLUTION MAKING AVAILABLE FUNDS FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF PUBLIC COMMONS.

Resolved by the City Council in the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) appropriated for White park be and the same is hereby made available for the improvement of public commons in addition to the sum already appropriated for that purpose.

Passed November 9, 1897.

A JOINT RESOLUTION IN RELATION TO THE REFUNDING OF CERTAIN TAXES.

Resolved by the City Council in the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of thirteen dollars and seventy-four cents (\$13.74) be refunded to Gustavus Walker and the sum of two dollars and seven cents (\$2.07) be refunded to A. H. Britton, these sums having been paid by them respectively in excess of the just tax assessed against them for the year 1897, and that the same be paid out of the appropriation for incidentals.

Passed November 9, 1897.

A RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS TO DEFRAY THE EXPENSE OF CLEARING THE ICE ON THE POND IN WHITE PARK.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

That the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) be, and the same is hereby, appropriated to defray the expense of keeping the ice on the pond in White park cleared of snow for skating purposes, the same to be paid from the amount appropriated for incidental expenses; the same to be expended under the direction of the park commissioners.

Passed December 14, 1897.

A JOINT RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE APPROPRIATION FOR ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

That the sum of two hundred and sixty-six dollars and fifty-six cents of the appropriation for roads and bridges now allotted to sidewalks and crossings be, and the same is hereby, made available for use in cleaning streets.

Passed December 30, 1897.

A JOINT RESOLUTION INVITING BIDS FOR PRINTING THE ANNUAL CITY REPORT.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

That the city auditor is hereby instructed to invite bids for printing the annual report of the city of Concord and the finance committee is hereby authorized to accept that bid which in its judgment is most advantageous to the city.

Passed December 30, 1897.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING FIFTY DOLLARS FOR EXTRA SERVICES OF CITY MESSENGER.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

That the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) be, and the same is hereby, appropriated for the purpose of paying the city messen-

ger for extra services in taking care of the extra rooms used by the N. H. military companies of Concord and that the same be charged to the appropriations for incidentals.

Passed December 30, 1897.

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE ACCEPTANCE OF CERTAIN LAND FOR PARK PURPOSES.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

That the triangular tract of land situated in said city and bounded by Center street, Ridge road, and Park Ridge street be, and hereby is, accepted for park purposes from William F. Thayer, Albert B. Woodworth, Edward B. Woodworth, and Austin S. Ranney, subject to the condition that said tract shall, within two years from the passage of this ordinance, be properly graded and seeded to grass, and thereafter be suitably maintained for park purposes, and be known as Ridge Road Park, said tract to be deeded to said city of Concord immediately after the passage of this resolution.

Passed January 11, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION MAKING AVAILABLE FUNDS FOR CARE OF THE CITY POOR.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

That so much of the appropriation for aid of dependent soldiers as is necessary be made available for the payment of bills for care of city poor in excess of the appropriation for that purpose.

Passed January 11, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION MAKING AVAILABLE FUNDS FOR USE OF SEWERS.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

That so much of the appropriation for lighting streets as is necessary be made available for the payment of bills for sewers in excess of the appropriation for that purpose.

Passed January 11, 1898.

JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING MONEY TO COVER DEFICIENCIES IN THE SEVERAL DEPARTMENTS.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

That the sum of eighteen hundred and ninety-four dollars and forty-six cents (\$1,894.46) be, and the same is hereby, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated to pay outstanding claims, as follows:

Fire Department	\$336.91
Auditor	34.69
Assessors	130.00
Tax Collector	16.92
Public Library	89.69
White Park	144.58
Rollins Park	233.84
Penacook Park	3.72
Blossom Hill Cemetery	430.97
Old North Cemetery	128.85
West Concord Cemetery	54.30
Liquor Agency	289.99
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	\$1,894.46

Passed January 11, 1898.

CITY GOVERNMENT,

CONCORD, N. H.

Inaugurated fourth Tuesday in January, biennially.

1897-8.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR.

Elected biennially in November by the people. Salary, \$1,000 per annum.

ALBERT B. WOODWORTH.

Office: Acquilla Building.

ALDERMEN.

Elected biennially in November by voters of each ward. No salary as such, but an allowance for committee service.

Ward 1—CHARLES E. FOOTE.

CHARLES H. SANDERS.

Ward 2—GEORGE A. HOIT.

Ward 3—FRANK E. DIMOND.

Ward 4—HARRY R. HOOD.

JOHN G. McQUILKEN.

JOHN F. WEBSTER.

Ward 5—HENRY O. ADAMS.

JAMES H. ROWELL.

Ward 6—HOWARD A. KIMBALL.

ARTHUR F. STURTEVANT.

Ward 7—HENRY E. CONANT.

ALBERT S. TRASK.

Ward 8—WILLIAM A. LEE.

Ward 9—JAMES M. KILLEEN.

CITY CLERK.

Elected Biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$800 per annum.

JOSEPH A. COCHRAN.

Office: City Hall Building.

COMMON COUNCIL.

Elected biennially in November by voters of each ward. No salary as such, but an allowance for committee service.

PRESIDENT—GEORGE W. BUNKER.

Ward 1—**WILLIAM C. SPICER.**

WILLIAM TAYLOR.

Ward 2—**JOHN W. SANBORN.**

Ward 3—**RUSSELL P. SHEPARD.**

Ward 4—**FRED W. SCOTT.**

FRANK H. SMITH.

EBEN M. WILLIS.

Ward 5—**GEORGE W. BUNKER.**

EDWARD E. LANE.

Ward 6—**HENRY B. COLBY.**

ETHAN N. SPENCER.

Ward 7—**ALBERT P. DAVIS.**

DAVID A. WELCH.

Ward 8—**CHARLES L. NORRIS.**

Ward 9—**ALBERT GRANT.**

CLERK OF COMMON COUNCIL.

Elected biennially in January by Common Council. Salary, \$50 per annum.

HARVEY P. SANBORN.

Office: Sanborn's Block.

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

Aldermen appointed by Mayor, and Councilmen appointed by President of Common Council, biennially in January.

On Finance—The Mayor ; Aldermen Webster and Sanders ; Councilmen Spencer and Willis.

On Accounts and Claims—Aldermen Hood and Adams ; Councilmen Colby and Shepard.

On Lands and Buildings—Aldermen Adams and Trask ; Councilmen Scott and Norris.

On Public Instruction—Aldermen Sanders and Conant ; Councilmen Willis and Shepard.

On Parks and Commons—Aldermen Kimball and Killeen ; Councilmen Davis and Smith.

On Roads and Bridges—Aldermen Rowell and Dimond ; Councilmen Smith and Welch.

On Fire Department—Aldermen Sturtevant and Lee ; Councilmen Scott and Spicer.

On Lighting Streets—Aldermen McQuilken and Kimball ; Councilmen Lane and Grant.

On Cemeteries—Aldermen Webster and Kimball ; Councilmen Taylor and Sanborn.

STANDING COMMITTEES IN BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN.

Appointed biennially by the Mayor.

On Elections and Returns—Aldermen Hood and Lee.

On Engrossed Ordinances—Aldermen Hoit and Webster.

On Bills, Second Reading—Aldermen Trask and Foote.

On Police and Licenses—Aldermen Killeen and McQuilken.

ON SEWERS AND DRAINS.

Elected biennially in January by Board of Aldermen.

The Mayor ; Aldermen Rowell, Dimond, Sanders, and Hoit.

ON STREETS AND SIDEWALKS.

Elected biennially in January by Board of Aldermen.

The Mayor ; Aldermen Conant, Foote, and Sturtevant.

STANDING COMMITTEES IN COMMON COUNCIL.

Appointed biennially in January by President of Common Council.

On Elections and Returns—Councilmen Spencer and Taylor.

On Bills, Second Reading—Councilmen Colby and Lane.

On Engrossed Ordinances—Councilmen Spicer and Norris.

CITY TREASURER.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Bond to the acceptance of Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Salary, \$250 per annum.

WILLIAM F. THAYER.

Office: First National Bank.

CITY AUDITOR.

Appointed biennially by the Mayor with the approval of the Board of Aldermen. Salary, \$1,000 per annum.

JAMES O. LYFORD.

Office: City Hall Building.

CITY ENGINEER.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$1,500 per annum.

WILL B. HOWE.

Office: 17 Dutton's Block, North Main Street.

CITY MESSENGER.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$600 per annum.

EDWARD A. STEVENS.

COLLECTOR OF TAXES.

Elected annually in January by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Bond within six days to satisfaction of the board. Salary, five mills for each dollar of first \$60,000; seven and one half mills for each dollar over \$60,000.

WENDELL P. LADD.

Office: Smith's Block.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Three elected annually in March by voters of Union School District. Salary, \$250 per annum for the Board.

AMOS J. SHURTLEFF,	Term expires March, 1898.
AUSTIN S. RANNEY,	" " " 1898.
HENRY C. BROWN,	" " " 1898.
HARRY P. DEWEY,	" " " 1899.
MARY P. WOODWORTH,	" " " 1899.
ELIPHALET F. PHILBRICK,	" " " 1899.
JOHN C. ORDWAY,	" " " 1900.
SUSAN J. WOODWARD,	" " " 1900.
HENRY F. HOLLIS,	" " " 1900.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Appointed annually in July by Board of Education. Salary, \$1,800 per annum.

LOUIS J. RUNDLETT.

Office: High School Building, School Street.

PENACOOK—District No. 20.

One member of Board of Education elected annually in March by voters of District. Salary, \$27 per annum for the Board.

JOHN CARTER,	Term expires March, 1898.
HENRY ROLFE,	" " " 1899.
IRA PHILLIPS,	" " " 1900.

TOWN DISTRICT.

Comprising all districts in the city except Union School District and No. 20. Elected annually in March by voters of district. Salary, \$125 per annum for the Board.

GEORGE T. ABBOTT,	Term expires March, 1898.
ALBERT SALTMARSH,	" " " 1899.
JOHN VANNEVAR,	" " " 1900.

TRUANT OFFICERS.

Appointed biennially in January by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Salary as such, none.

JAMES E. RAND.
DANIEL S. FLANDERS.
FRED N. EATON.
JAMES KELLEY.
CHARLES E. KELLEY.
CHARLES W. HALL.
W. D. BARRETT.
JOHN E. GAY.
ELMER J. BROWN.
CHARLES H. ROWE.
THOMAS P. DAVIS.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

TRUSTEES.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, none.

Ward 1—CHARLES H. SANDERS.
Ward 2—JOHN E. FRYE.
Ward 3—PAUL R. HOLDEN.
Ward 4—JOHN M. MITCHELL.
Ward 5—AMOS J. SHURTLEFF.
Ward 6—JAMES S. NORRIS.
Ward 7—WILLIAM W. FLINT.
Ward 8—EDSON J. HILL.
Ward 9—MOSES H. BRADLEY.

LIBRARIAN.

Appointed annually by Trustees of Library. Salary, \$800 per annum.

GRACE BLANCHARD.

ASSISTANTS.

Salary, \$450 per annum.

CLARA F. BROWN.**ADAH M. COLBY.****WINNIE I. JAMES.**

Fowler Library Building.

ASSESSORS.

Elected biennially by voters of each ward. Salary, \$3 per day of actual service.

Ward 1—OLIVER J. FIFIELD.*Ward 2*—WILLIAM A. COWLEY.*Ward 3*—JOSEPH E. SHEPARD.*Ward 4*—DANIEL C. WOODMAN.*Ward 5*—GEORGE F. UNDERHILL.*Ward 6*—GEORGE S. DENNETT.*Ward 7*—JONATHAN B. WEEKS.*Ward 8*—JOHN J. LEE.*Ward 9*—JAMES AHERN.**CITY WATER-WORKS.****WATER COMMISSIONERS.**

Two appointed annually in March, for four years, by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Salary, none.

ALBERT B. WOODWORTH, MAYOR, *ex-officio*.

WILLIAM P. FISKE,	Term expires March 31, 1898.
WILLIAM E. HOOD,	“ “ 1898.
WILLIAM M. MASON,	“ “ 1899.
EDSON J. HILL,	“ “ 1899.
JOHN WHITAKER,	“ “ 1900.
EBENEZER B. HUTCHINSON,	“ “ 1900.
OLON A. CARTER,	“ “ 1901.
FRANK D. ABBOT,	“ “ 1901.

President—WILLIAM P. FISKE.

Clerk—ARTHUR H. CHASE.

SUPERINTENDENT OF WATER-WORKS.

Elected annually in April by Water Commissioners. Salary, \$1,800 per annum.

V. CHARLES HASTINGS.

Office: White's Block, Capitol Street.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

CHIEF ENGINEER.

Appointed by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Term unlimited. Salary, \$250 per annum, and rent of house.

WILLIAM C. GREEN.

ASSISTANT ENGINEERS.

Appointed by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Term unlimited.

FOR PRECINCT.

Salary, \$125 each per annum.

JOHN J. McNULTY.

WILLIAM E. DOW.

FOR PENACOOK.

Salary, \$25 per annum.

ABIAL W. ROLFE.

FOR EAST CONCORD.

Salary, \$10 per annum.

JOHN E. FRYE.

FOR WEST CONCORD.

Salary, \$10 per annum.

GEORGE W. KEMP.

STEWARD FIRE STATION, PENACOOK.

Appointed by Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

LESLIE H. CROWTHER.

STEWARD FIRE STATION, EAST CONCORD.**CHAS. P. WHITE.**

STEWARD FIRE STATION, WEST CONCORD.**PATRICK CONWAY.**

SUPERINTENDENT OF CITY CLOCKS.

Appointed by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Salary, \$85 per annum.

JOHN P. PAIGE.

INSPECTOR OF ELECTRIC WIRES.

Elected annually on or before April 1. Salary, 40 cents per hour for actual service rendered, paid by the person or company owning the wires.

FRED W. LANDON.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.**POLICE JUSTICE.**

Appointed by Governor and Council. Salary, \$800 per annum, fixed by City Council.

BENJAMIN E. BADGER.Office: Police Station.

SPECIAL POLICE JUSTICE.

Appointed by Governor and Council. Salary, \$2 per day of actual service.

AMOS J. SHURTLEFF.

CITY SOLICITOR.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$500 per annum.

HARRY G. SARGENT.

Office: 60 North Main Street

CLERK OF POLICE COURT.

Appointed by Police Justice. Salary, \$200 per annum, fixed by Legislature.

*GEORGE M. FLETCHER.

CITY MARSHAL.

Appointed by Police Commissioners. Term unlimited. Bond of \$300 required.
Salary, \$1,200 per annum.

GEORGE S. LOCKE.

Office: Police Station.

ASSISTANT CITY MARSHAL.

Appointed by Police Commissioners. Term unlimited. Salary, \$900 per annum.

JAMES E. RAND.

REGULAR POLICE AND NIGHT WATCH.

Appointed by Police Commissioners. Salary, \$800 each per annum.

DANIEL S. FLANDERS, Captain of Night Watch.

Fred M. Eaton,	Charles W. Hall,
Whitney D. Barrett,	John G. Putnam,
James Kelley,	Charles H. Rowe,
John E. Gay,	Samuel L. Batchelder.

SPECIAL RESERVE OFFICERS.

GEO. H. SILSBY, Captain and Drill Master.

John T. Batchelder,	Alvin H. Urann,
Wm. H. H. Patch,	Geo. D. Worth,
W. A. Little,	Wm. R. Green,
W. A. Flanders,	Thomas P. Davis,
O. H. Bean,	Abiel C. Abbott,
Hoyt Robinson,	Harvey H. Oakes,
Irving B. Robinson,	Geo. N. Fellows,
Geo. W. Chesley,	Charles E. Kelley.

* Resigned, and Harry R. Hood appointed December, 1897.

SPECIAL POLICE OFFICERS.

Appointed by Police Commissioners. Salary, \$2 each per day for actual service.

Robert Crowther,	Alphonso Vene,
Eli Hanson,	Robert Hill,
Clark D. Stevens,	John T. Kimball,
Moody S. Farnum,	James F. Ward,
Almah C. Leavitt,	Horace Plummer,
Oscar F. Richardson,	Charles E. Palmer,
Orlando I. Godfrey,	Henry C. Mace,
Richard P. Sanborn,	Justus O. Clark,
Edward H. Dixon,	Charles H. Richardson,
William J. Ahern,	Ira C. Phillips,
George W. Waters,	Lewis C. Stevenson,
Henry A. Rowell,	W. H. Meserve,
Joseph C. Eaton,	Moses T. Rowell,
Napoleon B. Burleigh,	Charlie C. Plumer,
Edward H. Haskell,	Edward C. Hussey,
John H. Carr,	Horace B. Annis,
Edward M. Nason,	John Knowlton,
James M. Jones,	Rufus C. Boynton,
Albert F. Smith,	Milton Colby,
Charles H. Dudley,	Ashbury F. Tandy,
George E. Davis,	Henry J. Durrell,
Charles M. Norris,	Patrick McGuire.
John J. Crowley,	

STREET DEPARTMENT.**COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS.**

Elected annually in January by City Council. Bond \$3,000. Salary, \$1,400 per annum.

ALFRED CLARK.

Office: 4 Dutton's Block, North Main Street.

LICENSED DRAIN-LAYERS.

Appointed annually in January by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. No salary.

Lyman R. Fellows,	Isaac Baty,
Leonard W. Bean,	W. Arthur Bean,
William Rowell,	Henry H. Morrill,
Simeon Partridge,	Fred L. Plummer,
J. Henry Sanborn,	Miles F. Farmer,
Zeb F. Swain,	Charles L. Norris,
George S. Milton,	Charles L. Fellows,
Clarence W. Williams,	Thomas Mathews,
O. H. T. Richardson,	D. Warren Fox,
Michael J. Lee,	Daniel Haslam,
Daniel Mandigo,	Michael Bateman,
Edward H. Randall,	William A. Lee,
Michael C. Casey,	Richard J. Lee,
Timothy Kenna,	Francis W. Presby,
James Cassidy,	Patrick A. Clifford,
B. Frank Varney,	Seth R. Hood,
Alvah C. Ferrin,	Rufus E. Gale.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

Elected biennially in January by Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

Ward 1—CHARLES E. FOOTE, Penacook.

Salary, \$30 per annum.

Ward 2—GEORGE A. HOIT, East Concord.

Salary, \$10 per annum.

Wards 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9—JOSEPH A. COCHRAN,
City Hall.

Salary, \$200 per annum.

CITY OF CONCORD.

CITY PHYSICIAN.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$1 for each visit to city poor.

DR. CHANCEY ADAMS.

Office: 15 South State Street.

ASSISTANT CITY PHYSICIAN.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary \$1 for each visit to city poor.

DR. HENRY C. HOLBROOK.

Office: Penacook.

HEALTH OFFICERS.

One elected annually in March, for three years, by City Council. Salary, \$25 per annum.

EDWARD N. PEARSON, Term expires March, 1898.

EDGAR A. CLARK, M. D., " " 1899.

DENNIS E. SULLIVAN, M. D., " " 1900.

SANITARY OFFICER.

Nominated by Board of Health in April and confirmed by the City Council. Salary, \$300 per annum.

CHARLES E. PALMER.

Office: 3 Dutton's Block, North Main Street.

REGISTRAR OF VITAL STATISTICS.

The City Clerk is made Registrar by General Laws. Fees, 15 cents for each birth, marriage, and death received, recorded, and returned to the State Registrar.

JOSEPH A. COCHRAN.

Office: City Hall.

CITY LIQUOR AGENT.

Appointed annually in January by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen.
Salary, \$800 per annum.

MOSES LADD.

Office: 168 North Main Street.

PARK COMMISSIONERS.

Two appointed annually in January, for three years, by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. No salary.

BENJAMIN S. ROLFE,	Term expires January, 1898.
JOHN F. JONES,	" " 1898.
WILLIAM P. FISKE,	" " 1899.
GEORGE A. YOUNG,	" " 1899.
BEN C. WHITE,	" " 1900.
WILLIS G. C. KIMBALL,	" " 1900.

CEMETERY COMMITTEES.

One from each ward (except Wards 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, and part of Ward 7, consolidated) elected annually in January, for three years, by City Council.
Salary, none.

WARD 1.

JOHN WHITAKER,	Term expires January, 1898.
JOHN A. COBURN,	" " 1899.
D. WARREN FOX,	" " 1900.

WARD 2.

CYRUS R. ROBINSON,	Term expires January, 1898.
JOSEPH E. PLUMER,	" " 1899.
SCOTT FRENCH,	" " 1900.

WARD 3.

JAMES M. CROSSMAN,	Term expires January, 1898.
GEORGE R. PARMENTER,	" " 1899.
JOHN E. GAY,	" " 1900.

WARD 7.

ALFRED CLARK,	Term expires January, 1898.
FRANK G. PROCTOR,	" " 1899.
ISAAC N. ABBOTT,	" " 1900.

COMMISSIONERS OF CEMETERIES.

FOR WARDS 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, AND PART OF WARD 7.

Two members appointed annually in March, for three years, by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Salary, none.

JOHN E. ROBERTSON,	Term expires March, 1898.
FRANK P. ANDREWS,	“ “ 1898.
CHARLES S. PARKER,	“ “ 1899.
OBADIAH MORRILL,	“ “ 1899.
GEORGE A. FOSTER,	“ “ 1900.
GEORGE O. DICKERMAN,	“ “ 1900.

UNDERTAKERS.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, none.

FOR OLD NORTH AND BLOSSOM HILL CEMETERIES.

HAMILTON A. KENDALL.
 GEORGE W. WATERS.
 FRANK A. DAME.
 AUSTIN W. JONES.
 LOUIS A. LANE.
 OLIVER M. SHEPLEE.

FOR WOODLAWN CEMETERY, PENACOOK.

J. FRANK HASTINGS.
 OLIVER J. FIFIELD.

FOR EAST CONCORD CEMETERY.

JOSEPH E. PLUMER.

FOR WEST CONCORD CEMETERY.

ALVIN C. POWELL.

FOR MILLVILLE CEMETERY.

WILLIAM H. CURRIER.

FOR SOUCOOK CEMETERY.

GEORGE G. JENNESS.

INSPECTOR OF PETROLEUM.

Appointed annually in January by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Fees, one fourth cent per gallon for inspection, paid by owner of oil.

GEORGE H. ROLFE.

FENCE-VIEWERS.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, \$2 each per day paid by parties interested.

GEORGE W. CHESLEY.

CHARLES P. ROWELL.

MOSES H. BRADLEY.

FISH AND GAME WARDENS.

Elected annually in January by City Council. No fees.

J. IRVING HOYT.

FALES P. VIRGIN.

JOHN H. SEAVEY.

DANIEL B. NEWHALL.

HARLEY B. ROBY.

CHARLES B. CLARKE.

FRANK BATTLES.

WILLIAM ROBY.

JOSEPH A. MOORE.

LOREN S. RICHARDSON.

FRANK S. MOULTON.

FRANK L. WORTHEN.

HENRY McGIBNEY.

HARRISON A. ROBY.

CHARLES TRENOWETH.

POUND-KEEPER.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, two cents each for impounding sheep, and five cents each for all other creatures, paid by owners.

GEORGE PARTRIDGE.

SEALERS OF LEATHER.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, reasonable price, paid by person employing.

JOHN C. THORNE.
CYRUS R. ROBINSON.
DAVID E. EVERETT.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, for sealing each scale beam, steelyard, or scale, 25 cents, and for each measure, 10 cents; five or more to one person, half price—paid by owners of scales or measures.

E. M. COGSWELL.

Office: City Hall.

CULLER OF STAVES.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Fees, bbl. staves, 28 cents, hhd. staves, 34 cents; pipe staves, 40 cents; butt staves, 45 cents; hoops, 50 cents; heading, 33 cents per M—paid by party for whom culling is done.

GEORGE F. HAYWARD.

WEIGHERS OF HAY, COAL, ETC.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, reasonable price per load; paid by party requiring service.

Orin T. Carter,
Arthur G. Stevens,
D. Arthur Brown,
John N. Hill,
Hiram O. Marsh,
Thomas Hill,
John H. Mercer,
A. H. Campbell,
O. F. Richardson,
Charles H. Day,
Edward M. Proctor,
Alvah L. Powell,

George B. Whittredge,
Charles T. Page,
William F. Carr,
Frank E. Gale,
Frederick H. Savory,
Evarts McQuesten,
Oscar E. Smith,
Amos Blanchard,
Mark M. Blanchard,
Lurman R. Goodrich,
James H. Harrington,
Simeon Partridge,

Seth R. Dole,
Arthur N. Day,
Lyman B. Foster,
Lewis B. Hoit,
William H. Meserve,
Hiram Brown,

Daniel Crowley, Jr.,
Fred A. Crocker,
Alfred Beddow,
Charles H. Cook,
M. L. Partch.

SURVEYORS OF PAINTING.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, reasonable price, paid by party employing.

Giles Wheeler,
Edward A. Moulton,
George Abbott, Jr.,
Charles E. Savory,

Benjamin Bilsborough,
Alvin H. Urann,
Fred Rollins.

SURVEYORS OF MASONRY.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, reasonable price, paid by party employing.

Giles Wheeler,
Peter W. Webster,
Alvah C. Ferrin,
William H. Kenney,
Lyman R. Fellows,
Fred L. Plummer,

Leonard W. Bean,
O. H. T. Richardson,
Moses B. Smith,
James E. Randlett,
William Rowell.

SURVEYORS OF STONE.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, reasonable price, paid by party employing.

Giles Wheeler,

George F. Sanborn.

SURVEYORS OF WOOD, LUMBER, AND BARK.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Fees, for surveying shingles and clapboards, 4 cents per M; boards and timber, 16 cents per M; measuring cord wood, 4 cents per cord or load, or 40 cents per hour for over twenty cords—paid by person employing.

Arthur G. Stevens,
John Ballard,
James F. Nelson,
Jonathan B. Weeks,
Charles Couch,
Wallace M. Howe,
Daniel K. Richardson,
John H. Rolfe,
William Ballard,
John T. Batchelder,
Thomas D. Avery,
Timothy Carter,
Weston Cofran,
Augustine C. Carter,
John A. Blackwood,
Walter W. Cochran,
Philip Flanders,
Gilbert H. Seavey,
Cyrus Runnells,
David E. Everett,
Silvester P. Danforth,
Charles W. Hardy,
Alfred Clark,
John F. Scott,
John Whitaker,
J. Frank Hastings,
Edgar D. Eastman,
Peter W. Webster,
George W. Abbott,
Arthur N. Day,
Edward M. Proctor,
Alvertus Evans,
John C. Farrand,
Fred W. Scott,

George Partridge,
Oliver J. Fifield,
Fales P. Virgin,
Charles H. Day,
Hiram O. Marsh,
Edward Runnells,
Lowell Eastman,
Andrew S. Farnum,
John C. Linehan,
Curtis White,
John N. Hill,
Abner C. Holt,
Levi M. Shannon,
Charles M. Brown,
Joseph E. Hutchinson,
Thomas Hill,
Charles T. Page,
Fred A. Eastman,
Fred G. Chandler,
John Potter,
George C. Morgan,
Edward H. Dixon,
Henry Rolfe,
Horace F. Paul,
Eugene H. Davis,
William F. Hoyt,
Albert Saltmarsh,
Justus O. Clark,
William Badger,
Silas Wiggin,
Frank L. Sawyer,
Edward Stevens,
Edward L. Davis,
Nathaniel P. Richardson,

WARD OFFICERS.**SELECTMEN.**

- Ward 1*—HORACE D. BEAN.
JOHN M. MESERVE.
WALTER H. ROLFE.
- Ward 2*—RUFUS C. BOYNTON.
ALBERT J. MORRILL.
JOSEPH WELCOME.
- Ward 3*—JUSTIN O. CLARK.
CHARLES W. CORSER.
ALBERT W. HOBBS.
- Ward 4*—ROY E. GEORGE.
J. WESLEY PLUMMER.
GEORGE F. SMITH.
- Ward 5*—JAMES E. SEWALL.
CHARLES E. SMITH.
CURTIS WHITE.
- Ward 6*—HARLAN A. FLANDERS.
J. EDWARD MORRISON.
EDWIN H. CARTER.
- Ward 7*—ARTHUR E. MAXAM.
WILLIAM H. PAIGE.
ALFRED H. WALKER.
- Ward 8*—ARTHUR COLTON.
ALMAH C. LEAVITT.
WILLIAM E. STANDISH.
- Ward 9*—FRED C. COATES.
JOHN OPIE.
JAMES McGUIRE.
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SUPERVISORS OF CHECK LISTS.

- Ward 1*—WILLIAM H. MESSERVE.
EDWIN B. PRESCOTT.
HORACE B. SHERBURNE.

- Ward 2*—JAMES C. CARLETON.
ALBERT H. C. KNOWLES.*
FRANK V. OSGOOD.
- Ward 3*—TIMOTHY GREEN.
CHARLES H. QUINN.
FRED F. TUCKER.
- Ward 4*—EDWARD H. DIXON.
JOHN A. JAQUITH.
EVERETT H. RUNNELLS.
- Ward 5*—WILLIAM M. MASON.
ROBERT H. ROLFE.
JOSEPH P. SARGENT.
- Ward 6*—LYSANDER H. CARROLL.
FRANK CRESSY.
WILLIAM H. KING.
- Ward 7*—JAMES F. KELLEY.
DANA G. PRESCOTT.
FORREST L. WELLMAN.
- Ward 8*—GEORGE G. JENNESS.
FREDERICK J. SEXTON.
ALBION B. STEARNS.
- Ward 9*—CHARLES J. FRENCH.
MICHAEL G. GANNON.
FRED J. SANBORN.
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WARD CLERKS.

- Ward 1*—LESLIE H. CROWTHER.
- Ward 2*—SAMUEL L. FRENCH.
- Ward 3*—GEORGE N. ROBERTSON.†
- Ward 4*—HARVEY P. SANBORN.
- Ward 5*—GEORGE E. CHESLEY.
- Ward 6*—HOWARD M. COOK.
- Ward 7*—GEORGE B. WHITTREDGE.
- Ward 8*—MEDARD M. ISABEL.
- Ward 9*—DAVID SULLIVAN.

* Deceased.

† Resigned, and Thomas E. Pentland elected.

MODERATORS.

- Ward 1—SAMUEL N. BROWN.
 Ward 2—SAMUEL L. BATCHELDER.
 Ward 3—DANIEL W. WILCOX.
 Ward 4—BENJAMIN E. BADGER.
 Ward 5—CHARLES C. DANFORTH.
 Ward 6—DANIEL E. HOWARD.
 Ward 7—GEORGE D. B. PRESCOTT.
 Ward 8—JAMES T. GORDON.
 Ward 9—FRED N. MARDEN.

MAYORS OF THE CITY OF CONCORD.

The original charter of the city was adopted by the inhabitants March 10, 1853, and until 1880 the Mayor was elected annually. Since 1880 the Mayor has been elected for two years at each biennial election in November.

HON. JOSEPH LOW	1853-'54.
" RUFUS CLEMENT *	— '55.
" JOHN ABBOTT	1856-'57-'58.
" MOSES T. WILLARD	1859-'60.
" MOSES HUMPHREY	1861-'62.
" BENJAMIN F. GALE	1863-'64.
" MOSES HUMPHREY	— '65.
" JOHN ABBOTT	1866-'67.
" LYMAN D. STEVENS	1868-'69.
" ABRAHAM G. JONES	1870-'71.
" JOHN KIMBALL	1872-'73-'74-'75.
" GEORGE A. PILLSBURY	1876-'77.
" HORACE A. BROWN†	1878-'79-'80.
" GEORGE A. CUMMINGS ‡	1880-'81-'82.
" EDGAR H. WOODMAN	1883-'84-'85-'86.
" JOHN E. ROBERTSON	1887-'88.
" STILLMAN HUMPHREY	1889-'90.
" HENRY W. CLAPP	1891-'92.
" PARSONS B. COGSWELL	1893-'94.
" HENRY ROBINSON	1895-'96.
" ALBERT B. WOODWORTH	1897-'98

* Died in office January 13, 1856.

† Term closed in November, 1880.

‡ Term commenced November, 1880.

CITY PROPERTY

HAVING VALUE BUT NOT CONSIDERED AVAILABLE ASSETS.

The following is an abstract of the inventory of the property of the city January 1, 1898, made by the city auditor, the itemized statements of which are on file in his office.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Central Fire Station.

Building and lot	.	.	.	.	\$35,000.00	
Miscellaneous property in main building					1,158.50	
“	“	basement	.		124.75	
“	“	shed	.		536.50	
“	“	shop	.		75.60	
“	“	stable	.		162.50	
Ten horses	.	.	.	.	1,500.00	
						<hr/> \$38,557.85

Kearsarge Steamer Company.

1 steam fire engine	.	.	.	.	\$3,000.00	
Miscellaneous property	.	.	.	.	646.60	
						<hr/> \$3,646.60

Eagle Steamer Company.

1 steam fire engine	.	.	.	.	\$3,800.00	
Miscellaneous property	.	.	.	.	618.50	
						<hr/> \$4,418.50

Governor Hill Steamer Company.

1 steam fire engine	.	.	.	.	\$3,000.00	
Miscellaneous property	.	.	.	.	35.90	
						<hr/> \$3,035.90

Hook and Ladder Company.

1 ladder truck	\$400.00	
Ladders and miscellaneous property	727.25	
	<hr/>	\$1,127.25

Chemical Engine Company.

1 chemical engine	\$1,550.00	
Miscellaneous property	136.75	
	<hr/>	\$1,686.75

Good Will Hose Company.

Building	\$6,500.00	
1 hose wagon	300.00	
1 horse	40.00	
Miscellaneous property	321.90	
	<hr/>	\$7,161.90

Alert Hose Company.

Building	\$3,200.00	
1 hose wagon	300.00	
1 horse	150.00	
Miscellaneous property	379.25	
	<hr/>	\$4,029.25

Pioneer Steamer Company.

Building and lot	\$7,500.00	
Heating apparatus	400.00	
1 steam fire engine	2,000.00	
1 hose wagon	100.00	
2 pony extinguishers	50.00	
Miscellaneous property	131.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,181.00

Old Fort Engine Company.

Building and lot	\$3,000.00	
1 Hunneman hand-engine	200.00	
3 pony extinguishers	75.00	
Miscellaneous property	111.75	
	<hr/>	\$3,386.75

Cataract Engine Company.

Building and lot	\$8,500.00
1 Hunneman hand-engine	200.00
1 hose reel	50.00
Heating apparatus	100.00
Miscellaneous property	117.75
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	\$8,967.75

\$86,199.50

Fire-alarm apparatus	\$8,550.00
Fabric hose, 11,400 feet; leather hose, 450 feet good, 550 feet poor	6,000.00
Residence chief engineer	3,000.00
Heating apparatus	100.00
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	\$17,650.00

Pioneer Engine House.

Ward room and hall furniture	70.50
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Old Fort Engine House.

Furniture	69.00
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Cataract Engine House.

Furniture	71.25
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\$104,060.25

STREET DEPARTMENT.**Central District.**

1 steam roller	\$2,500.00
9 sprinklers and fixtures	2,700.00
1 portable crusher	1,462.00
1 stationary crusher and boiler	1,500.00
5 horses	500.00
1 sand house	100.00
3 sets double harnesses	100.00
1 single harness	10.00
1 tip-cart harness	10.00
3 two-horse carts	300.00

CITY PROPERTY.

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1 one-horse cart	\$40.00
1 stake wagon	50.00
1 stone wagon	50.00
2 two-horse sleds	150.00
1 two-horse dump-sled	40.00
1 one-horse sled	15.00
2 snow rollers	160.00
2 stone rollers	100.00
2 road machines	100.00
4 wing snowplows	150.00
7 common snowplows	35.00
1 street sweeper	150.00
1 hand-cart	35.00
1 boom derrick	100.00
1 furnace for burning garbage	300.00
Lumber	234.00
Miscellaneous property	685.40
	<hr/> \$11,576.40

Penacook District.

Miscellaneous property	\$50.00
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West Concord District.

Miscellaneous property	33.75
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	\$83.75
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	\$11,660.15

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Police station	\$25,000.00
1 horse	150.00
1 harness	25.00
1 two-seated wagon	85.00
1 pung sleigh	20.00
1 ambulance	175.00
1 safe	50.00
2 robes	12.00
1 roll-top desk	20.00

1 roll-top desk	\$15.00
Blankets	4.00
Desk and chair at Penacook	20.00
6 tables	24.00
11 settees	41.00
37 chairs	50.00
2 clocks	15.00
70 police badges	70.00
16 policemen's coats	128.00
28 belts	20.00
28 night clubs	28.00
14 short clubs	14.00
11 Colt's revolvers	100.00
15 pairs handcuffs	60.00
54 helmets	26.00
Miscellaneous property	17.50
	<hr/> \$26,169.50

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

1 Buff & Berger transit	\$150.00
1 Buff & Berger level	50.00
1 planimeter	25.00
1 case drawing instruments	12.00
1 twelve-foot drawing table	75.00
1 seven-foot drawing table	20.00
1 blue-print frame	30.00
1 typewriter	50.00
1 safe	50.00
1 desk	25.00
Miscellaneous property	107.75
	<hr/> \$594.75

SEWER DEPARTMENT.

1 Lidgerwood double drum hoisting engine	\$500.00
1 engine house	40.00
4 dozen sewer braces	60.00

CITY PROPERTY.

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2 Edson pumps	\$20.00	
40 feet suction hose	40.00	
500 feet fabric hose	300.00	
48 picks	20.00	
1 Dean steam pump	75.00	
1 dozen shovels	5.00	
Pipe and slants	115.30	
Miscellaneous property	73.35	
	<hr/>	\$1,248.65

WEST CONCORD SEWERAGE PRECINCT.

1 Edson pump	\$20.00	
20 feet suction hose	10.00	
2 tool boxes	10.00	
1 derrick tripod	3.00	
1 set steel blocks	3.00	
19 lanterns	4.00	
2 chains	3.00	
Miscellaneous property	13.75	
	<hr/>	\$66.75

CITY MESSENGER'S DEPARTMENT.**City Council Rooms.**

3 office desks	\$45.00	
1 library table	7.00	
29 members' desks	290.00	
35 rotary chairs	175.00	
1 cottage stove and pipe	10.00	
2 carpets	60.00	
Miscellaneous property	14.75	
	<hr/>	\$601.75

CITY AUDITOR'S OFFICE.

1 desk	\$25.00	
1 filing case	13.00	
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CITY HALL.

42 nine-foot folding settees	\$168.00	
20 seven-foot folding settees	80.00	
16 common chairs	4.00	
1 No. 36 Monitor stove and pipe	10.00	
8 old settees	8.00	
8 board tables	8.00	
Heating and lighting fixtures in city hall building	400.00	
Miscellaneous property	12.00	
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		\$690.00

PROPERTY IN AND ABOUT CITY HALL.

1 eight-foot step-ladder	\$2.00	
50 feet rubber hose	4.00	
10 lawn settees	15.00	
2 lawn mowers	15.00	
1 pair of hedge shears	2.00	
1 Stillson wrench	1.00	
1 Wheeler lantern50	
Miscellaneous property	11.35	
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		\$50.85

OLD POLICE COURT ROOM.

1 table	\$2.00	
1 office chair	1.00	
14 common chairs	3.50	
1 sheet-iron stove and pipe	2.00	
1 wood box50	
1 old desk	1.00	
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		\$10.00

FURNITURE STORED AT CITY HALL.

1 coal stove and pipe	\$5.00	
5 office chairs	5.00	
1 zinc board	1.00	
1 pine table	2.00	
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		\$13.00

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.

1 roll-top desk	\$25.00	
1 office desk	20.00	
1 clock	12.00	
1 walnut book case	15.00	
1 pine book case	10.00	
1 map of Concord	5.00	
1 carpet	20.00	
1 desk	7.00	
3 chairs	5.00	
135 copies old town records	337.50	
Miscellaneous property	21.00	
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		\$477.50

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Pest house and lot	\$500.00	
Office furniture	40.00	
Pest house furniture	25.00	
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		\$565.00

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

1 oak roll-top desk	\$20.00	
1 carpet	40.00	
1 oak revolving table	3.00	
6 chairs	9.00	
1 mirror	2.00	
1 small oak table	1.00	
Miscellaneous property	2.00	
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		\$77.00

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES OFFICE.

Weights, measures, balances, etc.	\$225.00
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CITY LIQUOR AGENCY.

Stove and pipe	\$15.00
Chairs and lounge	11.00

1 office table	\$1.00	
6 brass locks and keys	6.00	
Miscellaneous property	13.60	
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TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE.

1 safe	\$150.00	
5 curtains	7.50	
1 desk chair	4.50	
3 cane-seat arm chairs	3.75	
1 ash office table	3.50	
1 money drawer	2.00	
Miscellaneous property	9.20	
	<hr/>	\$180.45

PARK COMMISSIONERS' DEPARTMENT.**Property at White Park.**

40 settees	\$50.00	
3 push shovels	9.00	
2 iron rollers	10.00	
2 gravel screens	5.00	
200 feet garden hose	5.00	
4 wheelbarrows	5.00	
3 lawn-mowers	8.00	
1 horse-scraper	15.00	
1 push-cart	6.00	
1 two-wheel dump-cart	25.00	
1 horse lawn-mower	65.00	
Miscellaneous property	41.30	
	<hr/>	\$244.80

Books in Public Library	\$9,000.00
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CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS' DEPARTMENT.

Miscellaneous articles at Blossom Hill Cemetery	\$338.50	
Furniture in commissioners' office	18.00	
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CITY HISTORY COMMISSION.

1 typewriter and table	\$100.00	
1 Bouton's History	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$110.00

REAL ESTATE.**REAL ESTATE BELONGING TO THE CITY NOT INCLUDED IN ANY OF
THE FOREGOING INVENTORIES.**

City hall lot and half of building . .	\$25,000.00	
City farm pasture and quarries . .	3,000.00	
City storehouse	4,500.00	
Gravel banks, East Concord	100.00	
Ward house, West street	4,500.00	
Play-ground on intervale	1,500.00	
White Park	12,000.00	
Rollins Park	6,000.00	
Penacook Park	2,500.00	
Market-place on Warren street . .	10,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$69,100.00

INVENTORY

OF THE PROPERTY OF THE WATER DEPARTMENT, INCLUDING THE
PLANT AND WATER RIGHTS AND ALL THE REAL ESTATE AND
PERSONAL PROPERTY IN THEIR POSSESSION, JANUARY 1, 1898.

WATER RIGHTS AND PLANT.

Water rights from B. F. & D. Holden .	\$60,000.00
Water rights from Concord Manufactur- ing Company	83,000.00
Flowage rights around Penacook Lake .	4,375.61
Dam, gate house and appurtenances .	30,756.17
Conduit and gate house	29,484.05
Main pipes	154,960.92
Distribution pipes	279,247.68
Service pipes	40,789.95
Reservoir and site	45,044.09
Pumping station, shop, stable, storehouse and site	27,000.00
Pumping machinery	10,215.00
Water and flowage rights in Long Pond, Webster	5,000.00
Mill privilege and land of W. P. Cool- edge, West Concord, about 15 acres .	5,500.00
Kit shop privilege from Humphrey & Farnum, West Concord, about 2 acres	5,000.00
Hutchins house and lot, West Concord, from W. P. Cooledge, about 6 acres .	2,250.00
Land in West Concord, from Mary C. Rowell, 18 acres	1,500.00
Land in West Concord, from Alfred Roberts, 25½ acres	1,275.00

Land in West Concord, from O. F. Richardson	\$100.00
Land in West Concord, from Mary G. Carter, 10 acres	1,250.00
Land in West Concord, from Charles E. Ballard, 6 acres	500.00
Land in West Concord, from Charles E. Ballard, 15 acres	1,200.00
Land in West Concord, from Coffin & Little, 17½ acres	800.00
Land in West Concord, which includes the Martin place, the Swan place, and a portion of the Carlton place, about 110½ acres	6,364.50
Land at south end of Penacook Lake, from Robert Crowley, about 10 acres .	3,000.00
	<hr/> \$798,612.97

Water Office, 11 Capitol Street.

1 roller-top desk	\$40.00
1 counter and fixtures	50.00
1 typewriter and desk	75.00
1 Howard eight-day clock	25.00
1 safe	400.00
1 record card case	30.00
Miscellaneous property	156.16
	<hr/> \$776.16

Water Commissioners' Room.

1 long table	\$10.00
10 chairs	7.50
1 carpet	3.00
1 case of water reports	3.00
Miscellaneous property . . . . .	.95
	<hr/> \$24.45

Pumping Station.

1 roller-top desk	\$15.00	
1 eight-day clock	10.00	
9 chairs	9.00	
1 recording gauge	10.00	
1 platform scales	50.00	
Miscellaneous property, including stock, supplies, etc.	456.13	\$540.18
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Shop at Pumping Station.

Miscellaneous property, including fittings, pipe, tools, brass goods, etc.	\$900.25
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Stable and Basement at Pumping Station.

2 horses	\$100.00	
2 express wagons	80.00	
1 new express wagon	80.00	
1 road wagon	15.00	
1 heavy sleigh	70.00	
1 pung sleigh	20.00	
3 harnesses	20.00	
Miscellaneous property, including sup- plies	186.20	\$571.20
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Storehouse.

Miscellaneous property, including hydrants, water gates, curves, branches, etc.	\$521.50
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Pipe Yard and City Shed.

Cast-iron pipe and supplies	\$4,035.90
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Shop at Penacook.

Miscellaneous property, including pipe, etc.	\$102.88
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Shop at West Concord.

Miscellaneous property, including pipe, etc. . . . \$43.44

RECAPITULATION OF WATER DEPARTMENT.

Plant and real estate	\$798,612.97
Water office	776.16
Water commissioners' room	24.45
Pumping station	540.13
Shop at pumping station	900.25
Stable and basement	571.20
Storehouse	521.50
Pipe yard and city shed	4,035.90
Shop at Penacook	102.88
Shop at West Concord	43.44
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	\$806,128.88

GENERAL RECAPITULATION.

Fire department	\$104,060.25
Street department	11,660.15
Police department	26,169.50
Engineering department	594.75
Sewer department	1,248.65
West Concord sewer	66.75
City messenger department	601.75
City auditor's office	38.00
City hall	73.85
City clerk's office	477.50
Health department	565.00
Mayor's office	77.00
Sealer of weights and measures	225.00
City liquor agency	46.60
Tax collector's office	180.45
Park commissioners	244.30
Cemetery commissioners	356.50
City history commission	110.00
Books in public library	9,000.00
Real estate	69,100.00
Water department	798,612.97
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	\$1,023,508.97

1897.

Population of the City (Census 1890)	17,004
Valuation of the City	\$11,200,690.00
Tax assessed for the year	\$233,761.58
Rate of Taxation, \$15.00 per \$1,000.	
Rate for Union School District, \$3.30 additional per \$1,000.	
Rate for Precinct, \$2.90 additional per \$1,000.	
Total rate, \$21.20 per \$1,000.	

POLLS, VALUATION, AND TAXES ASSESSED.

The number of polls and the tax assessed on the real and personal estate in the city of Concord since 1860 :

Year.	Polls.	Valuation.	Tax.
1860	2,577	\$4,307,192	\$47,082.25
1861	2,497	4,423,936	46,290.48
1862	2,350	4,308,568	50,945.01
1863	2,454	3,775,206	60,293.82
1864	2,539	3,832,800	89,931.97
1865	2,495	5,549,002	158,787.29
1866	2,762	4,934,082	116,192.97
1867	2,822	5,006,774	145,173.49
1868	3,120	5,378,365	126,889.71
1869	3,205	5,581,459	146,791.64
1870	3,187	5,751,928	133,953.94
1871	3,338	5,891,993	137,844.70
1872	3,767	5,917,054	141,122.97
1873	3,613	9,012,650	158,281.13
1874	3,784	9,000,526	171,045.61
1875	3,941	9,216,195	175,234.68
1876	3,911	9,222,625	163,768.29
1877	4,015	9,405,117	177,040.27
1878	3,869	9,241,485	162,038.53
1879	3,536	10,604,465	155,964.99
1880	3,672	10,150,585	172,831.12
1881	3,505	10,062,894	153,285.55
1882	3,661	10,308,052	151,941.54
1883	3,816	10,023,216	169,498.95
1884	3,734	9,877,874	148,290.26
1885	3,821	9,774,714	153,613.92
1886	3,773	9,703,458	158,994.83
1887	3,938	9,852,337	151,292.66
1888	3,959	9,984,120	165,090.57
1889	4,090	10,048,556	184,963.08
1890	4,190	10,243,857	176,081.04

Year.	Polls.	Valuation.	Tax.
1891	4,498	\$10,928,081	\$206,379.26
1892	4,288	10,786,498	191,733.45
1893	4,380	10,890,960	204,585.27
1894	4,385	11,189,294	222,110.35
1895	4,838	11,566,083	217,399.83

1896.	Polls.	Valuation.	Tax.
Ward 1,	433	\$830,000	\$19,697.13
" 2,	181	315,504	6,040.37
" 3,	269	417,570	9,110.74
" 4,	967	2,467,345	58,801.53
" 5,	668	3,102,425	72,525.28
" 6,	802	2,080,000	49,667.04
" 7,	593	871,481	18,260.38
" 8,	315	843,000	18,659.50
" 9,	435	301,190	6,892.45

	4,663	\$11,228,515	\$259,654.42
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Non-resident	934.63
Omissions	1,665.94

\$262,254.99

1897.	Polls.	Valuation.	Tax.
Ward 1,	457	\$811,544	\$17,449.47
" 2,	206	308,050	5,612.44
" 3,	279	397,376	8,533.47
" 4,	973	2,451,366	51,647.35
" 5,	649	3,113,730	64,969.62
" 6,	812	2,080,000	44,025.09
" 7,	628	877,542	17,121.20
" 8,	378	852,000	17,226.58
" 9,	430	308,755	6,218.92

	4,812	\$11,200,363	\$232,804.14
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Non-resident	957.44
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\$233,761.58

TRUST FUNDS.

CITY TREASURER'S ACCOUNT

AS CUSTODIAN OF TRUST FUNDS.

ABIAL WALKER TRUST.

For the benefit of the School Fund.

Capital	\$1,000.00
Income received, 1897	35.00
Paid in to the city treasury	35.00

DAVID OSGOOD TRUST.

For the purchase of school books for poor children.

Capital	\$200.00
Balance from last year	\$117.55
Income received, 1897	11.50
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	\$129.05

COUNTESS OF RUMFORD TRUST.

For the benefit of the Female Charitable Society. Income to be applied to the charitable uses and purposes of said society, and under its direction.

Capital	\$2,000.00
Income received, 1897	100.00
Paid Fanny E. Minot, treasurer of the society	100.00

PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUSTS.

NAME.	Capital.	Income received, 1897.	*Paid into the city treasury.
Lyon, G. Parker.....	\$1,000.00	\$35.00	\$35.00
Pierce, Franklin.....	1,000.00	37.19	37.19
Valpey, Thomas G.....	500.00	17.50	17.50

*Specially appropriated by city council.

JAMES O. LYFORD,
*Auditor.***CEMETERY FUNDS.**

NAME.	Capital, January 1, 1897.	Added during 1897.	Capital, January 1, 1898.	Unexpended income of previous years on hand January 1, 1897.	Income received, 1897.	*Paid into the city treasury.	Balance of income, January 1, 1898.
Blossom Hill.....	\$15,888.42	\$535.91	\$16,424.33	.....	\$617.06	†\$617.06	.....
Old Cemetery.....	715.00	.....	.....	.....	28.48	28.48	.....
West Concord.....	223.50	28.50	252.00	\$56.38	8.90	.....	\$65.28
East Concord.....	182.50	2.50	185.00	63.49	7.96	.....	71.45
Millville.....	150.00	50.00	200.00	5.95	5.90	.....	11.85

* Provided for by general appropriations.

† Of this amount, \$35.55 used in payment of accrued interest and premium on bond purchased.

JAMES O. LYFORD,
Auditor.

CEMETERY TRUSTS.

NAME.	Capital.	Unexpended income of previous years.	Income received, 1897.	Expended, 1897.	Balance of income on hand, January 1, 1898.
Abbott, William.....	\$900.00	\$36.45	\$11.53	\$4.00	\$43.98
Adams, Sarah M. K.....	700.00	71.60	25.25	21.00	75.85
Allison, Mary B.....	50.00	.07	1.75	1.00	.82
Atherton, Alonzo.....	100.00	.....	2.30	.....	2.30
Bailey, Abby L. Sanborn.....	100.00	.16	3.43	3.00	.59
Benson, Matilda.....	50.00	.03	1.75	1.25	.53
Birby, Ellen C.....	89.53	.45	2.93	3.00	.38
Blaisdell, James D.....	100.00	2.24	3.50	3.50	2.24
Blaisdell, Timothy K.....	200.00	18.54	7.43	4.00	22.02
Bouton, Nathaniel.....	200.00	14.50	8.00	12.50	10.00
Bradford, James.....	50.00	.....	1.56	.....	1.56
Buntin, Mary N. Preston.....	200.00	9.79	7.00	3.00	13.79
Butters, Harriet W.....	100.00	.66	3.43	2.75	1.34
Caldwell, Benjamin F.....	250.00	.19	8.53	.....	8.77
Carter, Nathan F.....	100.00	3.33	3.50	3.00	4.33
Chaffin, John F.....	50.00	.78	1.75	1.50	1.03
Cheney, Lyman and Mary F.....	50.00	3.55	1.75	3.00	2.30
Chesley, Samuel M.....	100.00	1.16	3.50	3.00	1.66
Clark, Caroline.....	100.00	.....	3.50	2.00	1.50
Clough, Frederick.....	100.00	.....	2.30	2.25	.05
Clough, Mrs. N. P.....	50.00	.12	1.75	1.00	.87
Colburn, Amos L.....	50.00	.07	1.75	1.00	.82
Cooper, Mrs. Josiah.....	75.00	.05	2.62	1.50	1.17
Crow, Mary.....	200.00	41.42	3.27	4.00	45.69
Danforth, Cordelia A.....	50.00	.87	1.75	.....	2.62
Danforth, Charles S.....	50.00	.....	1.25	.....	1.25
Drown, Matilda.....	100.00	.....	.58	.....	.58
Eastman, Seth.....	100.00	1.30	.....	1.75	.15
Eaton, Stephen B.....	50.00	.31	1.62	.....	2.43
Edgerly, Lydia F.....	100.00	.45	3.43	3.25	.63
Ela, Georgianna P.....	100.00	.03	3.50	3.00	.53

CEMETERY TRUSTS.—Continued.

NAME.	Capital.	Unexpended income of previous years.	Income received, 1897.	Expended, 1897.	Balance of income on hand January 1, 1898.
Farley, Lydia A.....	\$100.00	\$1.89	\$3.50	\$3.00	\$1.89
Farnum, Mary M.....	100.00	.24	3.50	2.00	1.74
Fogg, George G.....	300.00	3.37	3.50	4.00	2.87
Fowler, Asa.....	500.00	41.42	17.85	15.00	44.27
French, Theodore.....	100.00	.....	4.00	4.00	.....
Gale, Daniel E.	100.00	18.26	3.50	9.50	12.26
Gale, John D.....	200.00	.....	5.00	.....	5.00
Gear, John.....	50.00	.04	1.75	1.00	.79
Gilbert, Harvey J.....	50.00	.04	1.75	1.00	.79
Glover, George A., and C. A. Osgood...	50.00	.04	1.75	1.00	.79
Hadley, Betsy.....	100.00	.....	3.50	3.50	.....
Harding, George M.....	50.00	.87	1.75	1.00	1.62
Hart, Mary D.....	200.00	8.37	12.00	10.50	9.87
Herbert, Mary.....	100.00	.....	3.50	.....	3.50
Hoyt, Elisha and Sarah C.....	100.00	3.64	3.50	2.00	5.14
Hoyt, Jacob.....	100.00	8.79	3.50	3.00	4.29
Hutchins, Mrs. Samuel.....	100.00	.....	.58	.....	.58
Irish, Sarah E.....	100.00	.....	3.50	2.00	1.50
Kimball, John and Benjamin A.....	200.00	.04	7.00	6.00	1.04
Kimball, Joseph S.....	100.00	12.39	3.50	10.00	5.89
Knowlton, Edward L.....	1,000.00	384.50	44.33	16.75	392.08
Lang, Abigail W.....	100.00	4.71	3.50	.....	8.21
Larkin, B. L.....	50.00	3.95	1.75	7.00	3.70
Lincoln, J. L.....	50.00	.04	1.75	1.00	.79
Little, J. W. and E. J.....	100.00	16.50	11.00	3.00	24.50
Locke, William T.....	100.00	2.03	3.50	4.00	1.53
McCauley, John.....	100.00	.....	1.45	.75	.70
McQuesten, Greenough and Evarta.....	100.00	.16	3.43	3.00	.59
McQuesten, James.....	200.00	4.25	3.00	5.00	7.25
Mathews, H. W. and H. O.....	100.00	.....	.58	.....	.58
Merrill, J. B.....	100.00	.77	3.50	3.00	1.27

CEMETERY TRUSTS.—Continued.

NAME.	Capital.	Unexpended income of previous years.	Income received, 1897.	Expended, 1897.	Balance of income on hand, January 1, 1898.
Merrill, S. F.....	\$100.00	\$0.77	\$3.50	\$3.00	\$1.27
Morrill, Samuel and David L.....	150.00	4.65	5.25	4.00	5.90
Moses, Mary J.....	100.00	.....	.58	.....	.58
Newhall, Mrs. C. H.	175.00	8.50	6.13	4.50	10.13
Nutter, Eliphalet S.....	100.00	1.85	3.50	3.00	2.35
Ordway, Eugene A.....	50.00	.12	1.75	1.50	.37
Osgood, True.....	100.00	.04	3.50	3.00	.54
Page, William.....	25.00	2.31	.87	2.31	.87
Paige, Cyrus W.....	100.00	2.04	3.50	4.00	1.54
Pecker, Mrs. E. A.....	200.00	5.68	7.00	5.50	7.18
Phipps, Hannah E.....	100.00	2.14	3.50	1.50	4.14
Pitman, W. H.....	100.00	.96	3.50	3.00	1.46
Pixley, S. Lizzie.....	75.00	.10	2.63	1.50	1.23
Reed, George L.....	100.00	.58	3.50	2.25	1.83
Richardson, Hiram.....	500.00	47.98	18.79	11.25	55.52
Richardson, Judith A.....	100.00	1.33	3.50	3.00	1.83
Rollins, E. H.....	300.00	24.77	11.13	5.00	30.90
Russell, Moses W.....	200.00	.....	7.00	2.75	4.25
Sanborn, Jonathan.....	100.00	2.66	3.50	3.00	3.16
Sargent, John B.....	100.00	2.30	3.50	4.00	1.80
Shaw, Mary A.....	100.00	.....	3.50	2.00	1.50
Southmaid, Hattie R.....	50.00	1.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
Stickney, Nathan.....	50.00	1.07	1.75	2.50	.32
Stuart, Thomas.....	100.00	.08	3.50	2.00	1.58
Sweetser, Abigail.....	200.00	9.28	7.00	5.00	11.28
Tenney, Harriet N.....	100.00	2.03	3.50	.....	5.53
Thorne, John C.....	100.00	3.17	3.50	3.00	3.67
Tidd, Pliny.....	50.00	.37	1.75	.....	2.12
Upham, Eliza W.....	200.00	9.86	6.32	4.50	12.18
Walker, Mary E.....	200.00	.....	7.00	4.50	2.50
Walker, Timothy and Abigail B.....	200.00	1.32	6.90	6.00	2.22

CEMETERY TRUSTS.—Concluded.

NAME.	Capital.	Unexpended income of previous years.	Income received, 1897.	Expended, 1897.	Balance of income on hand, January 1, 1898.
Wentworth, Paul.....	\$200.00	\$15.44	\$8.00	\$16.00	\$7.44
Whittredge, George F.....	100.00	15.79	8.50	8.00	16.29
Williams, Mary.....	50.00	.....	1.75	1.50	.25
Woodruff, Robert.....	200.00	10.98	7.00	8.00	14.98
Woodward, E. W.....	100.00	2.05	8.50	8.00	2.55

PENACOOK SEWER PRECINCT SINKING FUND.

Balance, January 1, 1897	.	.	.	\$4,535.83	
Income received	.	.	.	168.02	
Received, city of Concord	.	.	.	500.00	
					\$5,203.85

WEST CONCORD SEWER PRECINCT SINKING FUND

Balance, January 1, 1897	.	.	.	\$2,080.07	
Income received	.	.	.	72.00	
Received, city of Concord	.	.	.	500.00	
					\$2,652.07

EAST CONCORD SEWER PRECINCT SINKING FUND.

Balance, January 1, 1897	.	.	.	\$100.00	
Income received	.	.	.	3.12	
Received, city of Concord	.	.	.	100.00	
					\$203.12

MUNICIPAL FUNDED DEBT.**POLICE STATION BONDS.**

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
July 1, 1903,	4,	semi-annually,	\$17,000.00

WIDENING PLEASANT STREET EXTENSION.

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
June 1, 1905,	4,	semi-annually,	\$13,800.00

MEMORIAL ARCH BONDS.

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
July 1, 1898,	4,	semi-annually,	\$5,000.00
July 1, 1899,	4,	semi-annually,	5,000.00
July 1, 1900,	4,	semi-annually,	5,000.00
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			\$15,000.00

BRIDGE BONDS.

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
July 1, 1904,	4,	semi-annually,	\$5,000.00
July 1, 1905,	4,	semi-annually,	5,000.00
July 1, 1906,	4,	semi-annually,	5,000.00
July 1, 1907,	4,	semi-annually,	5,000.00
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			\$20,000.00

PUBLIC PARK BONDS.

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
June 1, 1914,	3½	semi-annually,	\$25,000.00
Funded city debt	.	.	\$90,800.00

CITY DEBT NOT FUNDED.

Orders 1260 and 2467 outstanding,	\$2.00
Interest on bonds, accrued, not yet due . . .	1,158.91
Coupons overdue, not presented . . .	161.25

Due school districts	\$17,734.65
Dog licenses to school fund	1,896.44
Due Concord Land & Water Power Co.	100.00
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	\$20,553.25
Funded city debt	90,800.00
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	\$111,353.25

AVAILABLE ASSETS.

Cash in treasury January 1, 1897	\$21,179.22
Taxes of 1893 uncollected	196.16
“ 1894 “	566.50
“ 1895 “	59.69
*Cash in hands of George A. Foster, collector	360.70
Taxes of 1896 uncollected	356.45
“ 1897 “	34,940.44
Cash in hands of W. P. Ladd, collector	85.72
Liquor agency, stock on hand	1,203.20
Due from Merrimack county	6,131.04
Due for rent of quarries	481.00
Due for rent of land on Warren street	62.50
Due for building and repairing concrete sidewalks	408.85
Due for electrical inspection	104.25
†Subscriptions for city history	2,758.00
Due from state of New Hampshire, rent of armory	300.00
Due from state of New Hampshire, bounties50
Daniel B. Webber, wood from city farm	7.50
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	\$69,201.72
Indebtedness above assets January 1, 1898	\$42,151.53
Decrease for the year	30,967.94
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Indebtedness above assets January 1, 1897	\$73,119.47

* Includes \$24.18 interest.

† December 31, 1897.

PRECINCT FUNDED DEBT.**SEWER BONDS.**

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
July 1, 1904,	4,	semi-annually,	\$12,000.00
June 1, 1914,	3½,	semi-annually,	25,000.00
Dec. 1, 1914,	3½,	semi-annually,	9,000.00
July 1, 1917,	3½,	semi annually,	25,000.00
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			\$71,000.00

WATER PRECINCT BONDS.

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
Nov. 1, 1898,	4,	semi-annually,	\$10,000.00
Nov. 1, 1899,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Nov. 1, 1900,	3½,	semi-annually,	15,000.00
Jan. 1, 1901,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1902,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1903,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1904,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1905,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1906,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1907,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1908,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1909,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1910,	4,	semi-annually,	5,000.00
Jan. 1, 1911,	4,	semi-annually,	5,000.00
Oct. 1, 1912,	4,	semi-annually,	45,000.00
Jan. 1, 1913,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1914,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1915,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1916,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1917,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1918,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1919,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1922,	4,	semi-annually,	400,000.00
Mar. 1, 1922,	3½,	semi-annually,	20,000.00
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			\$670,000.00
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			\$741,000.00

PRECINCT DEBT NOT FUNDED.

Coupons overdue, sewer bonds, not presented	.	\$110.00
Interest accrued, not yet due, sewer bonds	.	776.67
Interest accrued, not yet due, water bonds	.	12,304.17
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		\$13,190.84
Precinct funded debt	.	741,000.00
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Precinct debt	.	\$754,190.84
Less available assets, cash on hand, water department	.	11,192.83
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Net precinct debt January 1, 1898	.	\$742,998.01
Net precinct debt January 1, 1897	.	724,463.81
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Increase	.	\$18,534.20

UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT BONDS.

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
July 1, 1898,	4,	semi-annually,	\$15,000.00
July 1, 1899,	4,	semi-annually,	15,000.00
July 1, 1900,	4,	semi-annually,	15,000.00
July 1, 1901,	4,	semi-annually,	15,000.00
July 1, 1902,	4,	semi-annually,	15,000.00
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			\$75,000.00
Interest accrued, not yet due	.	.	1,500.00
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			\$76,500.00

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 20 BONDS.

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
July 1, 1898,	4,	semi-annually,	\$500.00
July 1, 1899,	4,	semi-annually,	500.00
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			\$1,000.00
Interest accrued, not yet due	.	.	20.00
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			\$1,020.00
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Net liability of school districts	.	.	\$77,520.00

These bonds are issued under ordinances of the city council, as authorized by the act of the legislature of New Hampshire, approved August 14, 1889, entitled "An act authorizing the city of Concord to borrow money in aid of its school districts." These school districts have, by their votes and by their agents duly authorized, bound themselves to the city to seasonably pay to the city sufficient sums of money to enable it to meet the payments of interest and principle upon their indebtedness, and all incidental expenses, as the same shall become due.

PENACOOK SEWER PRECINCT.

SEWER BONDS PAYABLE AS FOLLOWS:

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
Aug. 1, 1898,	4,	semi-annually,	\$5,000.00
Aug. 1, 1903,	4,	semi-annually,	5,000.00
Aug. 1, 1908,	4,	semi-annually,	6,000.00
May 1, 1913,	4,	semi-annually,	5,000.00
July 1, 1914,	4,	semi-annually,	500.00
July 1, 1915,	4,	semi-annually,	500.00
July 1, 1916,	4,	semi-annually,	500.00
July 1, 1917,	4,	semi-annually,	500.00
July 1, 1918,	4,	semi-annually,	500.00
July 1, 1919,	4,	semi-annually,	500.00

\$24,000.00

Interest accrued, not yet due 360.00

Coupons due, but not presented 120.00

\$24,480.00

Amount of sinking fund accumulated, including interest \$5,203.85

Net indebtedness on account of Penacook sewer precinct, January 1, 1898 \$19,276.15

Net indebtedness on account of Penacook sewer precinct, January 1, 1897 \$19,924.17

Decrease for the year \$648.02

The above bonds were issued under ordinances passed by the city council, establishing a sewer precinct in Penacook, and authorizing loans on the credit of the city for the establishing of said system. The ordinances also provide that the yearly interest and a portion of the principal shall be raised each year, for the purpose of creating a sinking fund to pay said bonds as they mature, as follows :

\$500 annually for ten years from August 1, 1888,
 \$1,000 annually for five years from August 1, 1898,
 \$1,200 annually for five years from August 1, 1903,
 \$1,000 annually for five years from May 1, 1908,
 \$500 annually for six years from July 1, 1914,

by taxation upon the taxable property in Penacook sewer precinct, said sums, as soon as received, to be placed at interest by the finance committee.

WEST CONCORD SEWER PRECINCT.

SEWER BONDS PAYABLE AS FOLLOWS:

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
Oct. 1, 1902,	4,	semi-annually,	\$5,000.00
Oct. 1, 1907,	4,	semi-annually,	5,000.00
Oct. 1, 1912,	4,	semi-annually,	7,000.00
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			\$17,000.00
Interest accrued, not yet due			\$170.00
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			\$17,170.00
Amount of sinking fund accumulated, including interest			2,652.07
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Net indebtedness on account of West Concord sewer precinct, January 1, 1898			\$14,517.93

The above bonds were issued under ordinances passed by the city council, establishing a sewer precinct in West Concord, and authorizing loans on the credit of the city for the establishing of

said system. The ordinances also provide that the yearly interest and a portion of the principal shall be raised each year, for the purpose of creating a sinking fund to pay said bonds as they mature, as follows:

- \$500 annually for ten years from October 1, 1892,
- \$1,000 annually for five years from October 1, 1902,
- \$1,400 annually for five years from October 1, 1907,

by taxation upon the taxable property in West Concord sewer precinct, said sums, as soon as received, to be placed at interest by the finance committee.

EAST CONCORD SEWER PRECINCT.

SEWER BONDS, PAYABLE AS FOLLOWS:

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
July 1, 1900,	3½,	semi-annually,	\$500.00
July 1, 1905,	3½,	semi-annually,	500.00
July 1, 1910,	3½,	semi-annually,	500.00
July 1, 1915,	3½,	semi-annually,	500.00
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			\$2,000.00
Interest accrued, not yet due			35.00
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			\$2,035.00
Amount of sinking fund accumulated			\$203.12
Net debt East Concord sewer precinct, 1897			2,185.00
Added to sinking fund in 1897		\$103.12	
Note paid		250.00	
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			353.12
Net debt East Concord sewer precinct, 1898			<hr/>
			\$1,831.88

The above bonds were issued under ordinance passed by the city council authorizing a loan on the credit of the city. The ordinance also provides that the yearly interest and a portion of the principal shall be raised each year, for the purpose of creating a sinking fund to pay said bonds as they mature, as follows:

One hundred dollars annually for twenty years from July 1,

1895, by taxation upon the taxable property in East Concord sewer precinct, said sums, as soon as received, to be placed at interest by the finance committee.

RECAPITULATION.

Net regular municipal debt above assets	\$42,151.53
Net precinct debt above assets	742,998.01
Net school district debt	77,520.00
Net Penacook sewer debt	19,276.15
Net West Concord sewer debt	14,517.93
Net East Concord sewer debt	1,831.88
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Aggregate indebtedness over available assets, January 1, 1898	\$898,295.50
Aggregate indebtedness over available assets, January 1, 1897	928,132.38
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Decrease during the year	\$29,836.88

REGULAR APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1897.

For the payment of state tax	\$34,705.00
the payment of county tax	33,769.77
support of schools	34,705.00
payment of Memorial Arch bonds	5,000.00
payment of interest	4,000.00
support of the city poor	700.00
incidental and land damages, including expense of indemnity bonds for city officers	5,000.00
committee service	1,410.00
printing and stationery	2,500.00
legal expenses	200.00
beds at Margaret Pillsbury Hospital	2,000.00
Decoration Day	345.00
aid dependent soldiers	500.00
public school text-books	2,800.00
open air concerts	300.00

APPROPRIATIONS.

97

For Blossom Hill Cemetery . . .	\$2,500.00
Old North Cemetery . . .	350.00
West Concord Cemetery . . .	100.00
Old Fort Cemetery, for comple- tion of wall by contract . . .	300.00
Millville Cemetery . . .	100.00
Horse Hill Cemetery . . .	50.00
White Park	3,250.00
Rollins Park	750.00
Penacook Park	100.00
improvement public commons . . .	175.00
lobby at Penacook by contract not exceeding	900.00
	<hr/> \$136,509.77

FOR SALARIES.

For Mayor	\$1,000.00
City clerk	1,200.00
Overseer of poor, Wards 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9	200.00
Overseer of poor, Ward 1 . . .	30.00
Overseer of poor, Ward 2 . . .	10.00
City auditor	1,000.00
City solicitor	500.00
City treasurer	250.00
City messenger	600.00
care of city clocks,	85.00
clerk of common council . . .	50.00
Board of Education, Union School District	250.00
Board of Education, District No. 20	25.00
Town district school board . .	200.00
nine assessors	2,700.00
nine moderators	27.00
nine ward clerks	90.00
twenty-seven selectmen . . .	135.00
judge police court	800.00

For clerk of police court . . .	\$200.00	
collector of taxes, so much as may be necessary of the sum of	1,600.00	
	<u> </u>	\$10,952.00

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

For salary of librarian, assistants, and janitor	\$2,550.00	
purchase of books and magazines	1,200.00	
printing, including new fiction catalogue	400.00	
fuel and lights	350.00	
binding	500.00	
incidentals	500.00	
	<u> </u>	\$5,500.00

BOARD OF HEALTH.

For salary of health officer . . .	\$800.00	
salary of board of health . . .	75.00	
rent	108.00	
lights	12.00	
care of pest house	15.00	
assistance in sanitary inspection	100.00	
bacteriological tests	150.00	
materials for fumigation . . .	27.00	
incidental expenses of conta- gious diseases	175.00	
	<u> </u>	\$1,462.00

POLICE AND WATCH.

For salary city marshal . . .	\$1,200.00	
salary deputy	900.00	
salary captain of watch . . .	850.00	
pay nine patrolmen	7,200.00	
	<u> </u>	\$10,150.00
pay of janitor	225.00	
pay of special policemen . . .	300.00	
fuel of city proper	200.00	

APPROPRIATIONS.

99

For fuel Penacook	\$25.00
board of horse and shoeing	285.00
extra horse hire in city	30.00
extra horse hire in Penacook	30.00
lights	190.00
rent at Penacook	108.00
telephone and street gong at Penacook	50.00
water	28.00
ice	15.00
repairs and incidentals	100.00
helmets and buttons	75.00
uniforms for special police	50.00
police commissioners	150.00
new boiler	350.00
	<hr/> \$12,361.00

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

For salary of commissioner of high- ways	\$1,400.00
general maintenance and repairs	18,000.00
permanent work, including port- able stone crusher	8,000.00
cleaning streets	4,000.00
new concrete, (sidewalks and crossings)	3,000.00
repairing concrete	1,500.00
catch basins, construction and cleaning	800.00
	<hr/> \$36,700.00

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

For city engineer, salary	\$1,500.00
assistants, salary	1,000.00
supplies	100.00
repairs	50.00
rent	204.00
incidentals	146.00
	<hr/> \$3,000.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

For chief engineer, salary . .	\$950.00
assistant engineers (pre- cinct), salary	250.00
permanent men, pay-rolls	5,568.00
Kearsarge Steamer Co., pay-rolls	1,010.00
Eagle Steamer Co., pay- rolls	1,010.00
Hook & Ladder Co., pay- rolls	1,615.00
Governor Hill Relief Co., pay-rolls	195.00
Alert Hose Co., pay-rolls	815.00
Good Will Hose Co., pay- rolls	815.00
Pioneer Steamer Co., pay- rolls	500.00
Pioneer Steamer Co., sal- ary engineer	75.00
Pioneer Steamer Co., sal- ary assistant engineer .	25.00
Pioneer Steamer Co., stew- ard	30 00
Pioneer Steamer Co., jani- tor	45.00
Cataract Co., pay-rolls .	240.00
Cataract Co., salary as- sistant engineer . . .	10.00
Cataract Co., steward .	15.00
Cataract Co., janitor .	15.00
Old Fort Co., pay-rolls .	240.00
Old Fort Co., salary as- sistant engineer . . .	10.00
Old Fort Co., steward .	15.00
rent of rooms, Veteran Firemen's Association	150.00
extra men for vacation .	218.00
	<hr/> \$13,816.00

APPROPRIATIONS.

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For forage	\$1,411.00
fuel	640.60
lights	500.00
water	116.50
horse shoeing	280.00
hats, five dozen	315.00
three alarm boxes	225.00
relining old hose	150.00
new wagon for chief engineer	160.00
one pair of horses	300.00
horse hire	300.00
washing	105.00
current for fire alarm	36.00
labor, wire, etc., fire-alarm line	300.00
supplies for open-circuit batteries	25.00
supplies for chemical engine	50.00
supplies for pony extinguishers	12.00
new hose and incidentals	1,257.90
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	\$20,000.00
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	\$226,484.77

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

For roads and bridges, for catch basins	\$300.00
Old Fort Cemetery	184.00
fire department	336.91
city auditor	34.69
assessors	130.00
tax collector	16.92
public library	89.69
White Park	144.58
Rollins Park	233.84
Penacook Park	3.72
Blossom Hill Cemetery *	3,130.97
Old North Cemetery	128.85
West Concord Cemetery	54.30
liquor agency	289.99
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	\$5,078.46

* Reappropriation of income deposited in treasury.

PRECINCT APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1897.

For interest, sewer bonds . . .	\$1,670.00	
lighting streets . . .	10,500.00	
sewers . . .	3,500.00	
payment of note . . .	500.00	
payment of interest on note . .	17.50	
		<hr/> \$16,187.50

SPECIAL PRECINCT APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1897.

For South End sewer lateral connections . .	\$3,500.00	
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WATER PRECINCT APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1897.

For hydrants	\$6,000.00	
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STREET SPRINKLING APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1897.

For sprinkling streets	\$4,000.00	
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APPROPRIATIONS FOR UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR 1897.

For payment of bonds . . .	\$15,000.00	
interest on bonds . . .	3,300.00	
		<hr/> \$18,300.00

PENACOOK PRECINCT APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1897.

For sinking fund	\$500.00	
interest, sewer bonds . . .	960.00	
		<hr/> \$1,460.00

WEST CONCORD SEWERAGE PRECINCT FOR 1897.

For sinking fund	\$500.00	
interest on bonds	680.00	
		<hr/> \$1,180.00

EAST CONCORD SEWERAGE PRECINCT FOR 1897.

For sinking fund	\$100.00	
payment of interest on bonds	70.00	
payment of note	250.00	
payment of interest on note	8.75	
	<u> </u>	\$428.75

APPROPRIATIONS FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 20.

For payment of bond	\$500.00	
interest	60.00	
	<u> </u>	\$560.00

REPORT OF THE CITY TREASURER.

W. F. THAYER, *Treasurer*,
Dr.

IN ACCOUNT WITH CITY OF CONCORD. Cr.

Balance on hand, January 1, 1897	\$10,213.76	Aid to dependent soldiers and their families, account of the city	\$991.09
Wendell P. Ladd, taxes, 1896	34,706.00	Aid to dependent soldiers and their families, account of the county	1,480.75
" " 1897	183,125.00	Blossom Hill Cemetery	6,166.88
Alfred Clark, concrete	1,032.47	Board of health	1,330.55
" crushed stone, etc.	170.50	Bonds	5,000.00
Moses Ladd, liquor agency	1,975.00	City history commission	981.55
W. C. Green, sale of sundry articles	84.34	City poor	741.01
" rent of hall West Concord	3.00	Committee service	1,410.00
" rent of teams	997.20	County poor	4,650.29
James E. Rand, rent of Ward 7 ward room	4.00	County tax	33,769.77
George S. Locke, fines and costs	135.00	Decoration Day	345.00
George M. Fletcher, entry fees	6,483.62	Dog licenses	80.50
" trials and continuances	65.65	East Concord sewerage precinct, order note	100.00
J. A. Cochran, hack and job team licenses	131.00	" " interest	250.00
" billiard table licenses	360.00	Engineering department	84.36
" dog licenses	1,426.94	Fire department	2,983.97
" fees, dog licenses	135.60	Horse Hill Cemetery	20,396.85
" fees	321.02	Improving public commons	70.00
" balance uncalled for on account of vital statistics	2.00	Incidentals	218.73
J. A. Cochran, births, marriages and deaths	138.00	Interest	4,915.86
" completing records	35.75	Legal expenses	3,906.31
E. A. Stevens, services at city hall	4.00	Lighting streets, Ward 1	96.18
" rent of city hall	17.25	Liquor agency	1,400.00
" rent of Ward 7 ward house	2.00	Margaret Pillsbury General Hospital	2,264.99
C. H. Sanders, use of sewer pump Penacook precinct	5.00	Millville Cemetery	2,000.00
			100.00

E. H. Dixon, rent of city hall	3.00	Notes			68,000.00
W. B. Howe, rent of pumps	75.63	Old Fort Cemetery			484.00
labor, Stickney's field	22.63	Old North Cemetery			478.85
Grace Blanchard, library fines	194.36	Open air concerts			300.00
" sale of catalogues	28.50	Penacook Park			108.72
F. P. Andrews, treasurer Old North and Blossom Hill Cemeteries	3,134.62	Penacook sewerage precinct			638.75
Otis G. Hammond, rent of armory	150.00	" " interest			940.00
C. H. Daniels, " "	150.00	Police and watch			11,840.06
G. M. Davis, rent of quarry	25.00	Precinct orders			9,787.11
Crowley & Quinn, rent of quarry	150.00	" note			500.00
George W. Waters, rent of land, West Concord	25.00	" interest			1,760.00
Francis C. Kelley, town peddler's license	17.00	Printing and stationery			2,423.95
B. A. Kimball, treasurer City History Commission, balance account	69.20	Public library			5,563.61
City of Concord, sewer bonds	25,000.00	Roads and bridges			36,190.87
" " premium	1,858.50	Rollins Park			983.84
" " interest	226.04	Salaries			11,106.69
Nathaniel E. Martin, et al., settlement of liability as Albert I. Foster's bondsmen	12,902.53	Schools			54,178.78
Concord Land and Water Power Co., inspection of wires	18.32	School district No. 20, bond			500.00
John Walker, error in issuance city order No. 2,161	1,000.00	" " interest			60.00
James O. Lyford, over payment account fire department	.04	Sewers			4,342.48
Town of Canterbury, poor	31.01	South end sewer			21,220.08
Merrimack county, dependent soldiers	1,417.42	State tax			34,705.00
" paupers off farm	3,603.26	Street sprinkling			3,538.51
State of New Hampshire, bounty on hawks	32.25	Union school district bonds			15,000.00
" insurance tax	934.50	" " interest			3,600.00
		Water precinct			6,000.00
		West Concord Cemetery			154.30
		" sewerage precinct			513.83
		" " interest			700.00
		White Park			3,344.58
		Balance on hand			21,179.22
					<u>\$412,162.96</u>

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REPORT OF THE CITY TREASURER, Concluded.

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State of New Hampshire, railroad tax . . .	\$41,724.82
" " savings bank tax . . .	25,727.53
" " literary fund . . .	1,846.98
Notes . . .	40,000.00
Lyon legacy for public library . . .	85.00
Pierce legacy for public library . . .	37.19
Valpey legacy for public library . . .	17.50
Walker legacy for schools . . .	35.00
Income from Blossom Hill Cemetery fund . . .	581.51
Income from Old Cemetery fund . . .	28.48
Penacook sewer precinct . . .	24.80
	<u>\$412,162.96</u>

CITY EXPENSES.

FROM JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31, 1897.

Being an itemized account, made up from the books of the City Auditor, of the payments made by the City Treasurer on account of

RUNNING EXPENSES.

The arrangement of the details of expenditure which follows is intended to furnish such information as is desired by the public, and is in accordance with suggestions received from various sources. Items of payment to the same individual at sundry times are included in the aggregate amount given, if paid for the same objects. Every effort has been made to ascertain and pay all the bills for the current year; and in all cases, so far as known, payments of rent, etc., have been made to December 31, 1897, and salaries and committee service have been paid for the full municipal year. The expenses of the year, which are included in the general running expense, may be seen in the aggregate at the end of the detailed account here given. This is intended to include interest, but not the payment of maturing bonds.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES AND INTEREST.

Paid Solon A. Carter, state treasurer . . .	\$34,705.00
Warren Abbott, county treasurer . . .	33,769.77
coupous and interest account . . .	3,906.81

CITY POOR.

Regular appropriation	\$700.00
Transferred from Dependent Soldiers, city . . .	41.01
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	\$741.01

Paid as follows :

Lydia S. Couch, aid	\$14.00
Glanville Tonkin, aid	20.00
Margaret Robinson, rent	12.00

D. J. Doherty, rent	\$12.00
C. F. Thompson, administrator, rent	16.00
J. P. Durrell, rent	96.00
Grace E. Foster, rent	14.00
Elizabeth R. Curtis, rent	12.00
C. C. Webster & Co., groceries	55.00
Foote, Brown & Co., "	17.91
C. R. Schoolcraft, "	2.00
C. F. Swain & Co., "	105.00
C. G. Coffin & Co., "	3.00
F. A. Abbott, provisions	10.79
Concord Coal Co., wood and coal	52.42
H. O. Marsh & Co., " "	42.27
E. L. Davis, wood	6.50
Dr. H. C. Holbrook, medical services	7.00
Dr. N. W. McMurphy, medical services	8.00
C. H. Sanders, supplies	8.50
County Cheshire, care Josiah Littlefield	81.35
St. Patrick's Orphanage, board	21.67
State Industrial School, board	78.00
H. A. Kendall, undertaker	15.00
Andrew Foley, board of Peter Keenan	18.00
Mrs. J. Leary, nursing	3.00
Catherine Leary, care T. H. Clark	1.50
W. P. Curtis, milk	8.10
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	\$741.01

AID TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND THEIR FAMILIES.

Appropriation	\$500.00
Transferred to city poor	41.01
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	\$458.99

Paid as follows :

Sarah J. Williams, aid	\$32.00
Orrin Larkin, aid	87.00
H. O. Marsh & Co., wood and coal	24.34
Concord Coal Co., " "	34.55
Catherine Elliott, care Mrs. C. P. Savory	36.00

Dina Truett, care Mrs. C. P. Savory,	\$2.00
Lewis De Camp, " " "	14.00
Geo. I. Ingham, " " "	10.00
Foote, Brown & Co., groceries	17.38
Fred Reed & Co., " . .	6.00
C. C. Perkins, " . .	5.05
Amos Blanchard, " . .	3.00
W. W. Allen, dry goods . .	3.52
Henry W. Ranlet, rent . .	22.00
F. E. Williams, rent . .	56.00
Dr. A. P. Chesley, medical services	15.00
Dr. N. W. McMurphy, " " .	2.00
Dr. Chancey Adams, " " .	14.00
Baker & Knowlton, medicine . .	2.05
Underhill & Kittredge, " . .	3.45
C. H. Martin & Co., medicine . .	1.75
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	\$391.09

TRANSFERRED FROM AID DEPENDENT SOLDIERS COUNTY AFTER
JANUARY 1, 1898.

H. O. Marsh & Co., wood and coal . . .	\$3.70
Unexpended balance	64.20
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	\$458.99

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Regular appropriation	\$20,000.00
Overpayment deposited with city treasurer . .	.04
Special appropriation	336.91
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	\$20,336.95

Paid as follows :

Permanent men, pay-rolls . . .	\$6,518.00
Extra men, vacations, pay-rolls . .	214.16
Board of engineers, " . .	295.00
Eagle Steamer Co., No. 1, " . .	1,010.00
Kearsarge Steamer Co., No. 2, pay-rolls	1,010.00

Hook & Ladder Co., No. 1, pay-rolls	\$1,615.00
Governor Hill Relief Steamer, "	195.00
Alert Hose Co., No. 2, "	815.00
Good Will Hose Co., No. 3, "	815.00
Pioneer Engine Co., No. 3, "	575.00
" " " " L. H. Crow-	
ther, steward and janitor . . .	75.00
Old Fort Engine Co. No. 2, pay-rolls .	240.00
" " " C. P. White,	
steward	15.00
Cataract Engine Co., pay-rolls . .	240.00
" " Patrick Conway,	
steward and janitor	30.00
Veteran Firemen's Association, rent .	150.00
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	\$13,812.16

Forage.

Arthur N. Day, oats	\$410.63
George L. Theobald, hay and straw .	152.87
J. H. Dodge & Co., hay and straw .	680.63
D. Hammond & Son, carrots . . .	4.00
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	\$1,248.13

Fuel.

Concord Coal Co., coal and wood .	\$491.82
H. O. Marsh & Co., coal and wood .	16.24
E. L. Davis, coal	56.00
Estate Horatio Hussey, wood . . .	6.00
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	\$570.06

Lights.

Concord Light & Power Co., gas . .	\$310.95
Concord Land & Water Power Co., lights	85.42
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	\$396.37

Horseshoeing.

James E. McShane	\$130.50
Globe Horseshoeing Shop	125.75
Daniel Crowley	20.85
M. E. Sexton	20.60
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	\$297.70

Washing.

Mrs. D. F. Crowley	\$15.50	
Conant's Laundry	54.50	
Mrs. Catharine Haggerty	10.15	
Mrs. Ira W. Sanborn	5.50	
James A. Mills	3.75	
	<hr/>	\$89.40

Supplies Chemical Engine.

A. P. Fitch	5.68	
Dickerman & Co.	4.48	
	<hr/>	\$10.16

Horse Hire.

M. F. Bickford	\$102.50	
George L. Theobald	112.00	
Fellows & Davis	56.00	
E. L. Davis	100.00	
D. H. Gienty	14.00	
W. J. Bailey	10.50	
James Welch	25.00	
George O. Robinson	10.00	
Norris A. Dunklee	1.50	
J. H. Toof	1.00	
	<hr/>	\$432.50

Current, Fire Alarm and Water.

Concord Land & Water Power Co., current	\$36.00	
Concord Water Works, water	108.50	
Leodore E. Alexander, "	8.00	
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Fire Hats and Alarm Boxes.

Hopkins & Wright, hats	\$315.00	
N. E. Gamewell Co., boxes	320.00	
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Purchase Horses and Wagon.

Caleb P. Little, horse	\$100.00	
George L. Theobald, horse	75.00	
Abbot-Downing Co., wagon	160.00	
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Relining Old Hose.

George W. Wales	\$195.00	
Manhattan Rubber Manufacturing Co. . . .	135.00	
	<hr/>	\$330.00

Supplies Open Circuit.

Electric Gas Light Co.	\$15.12	
C. W. Dadmun	6.70	
	<hr/>	\$21.82

Labor, Wire, &c., Fire Alarm.

George H. Downing, labor	\$39.00	
N. E. Gamewell Co., inspection	9.10	
Lewis B. Hoit, poles	7.50	
Electric Gas Lighting Co., supplies	24.45	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., supplies	11.76	
W. F. Thayer, treasurer, pay-rolls labor	93.50	
W. C. Green, cash paid out	72.50	
B. Billsborough, supplies	7.73	
C. H. Martin & Co.	8.38	
Concord Land & Water Power Co., cement	6.00	
F. A. Scott & Co., repairs	5.05	
A. H. Britton & Co., supplies	10.37	
Huntley & Tenney, supplies and repairs	20.28	
C. W. Dadmun, supplies	2.70	
E. L. Cady, supplies	1.02	
	<hr/>	\$319.34

Incidentals.

Charles T. Halloway, chemical supplies	\$20.00	
J. T. McKean, repairs	7.65	
G. W. Brown, polish	2.00	
Eugene Sullivan, supplies	10.25	

J. W. Powers, labor	\$1.83
James Mercer, driver Good Will Hose . .	11.54
J. E. Farnum, labor	1.33
N. G. Carr, repair of clock	2.50
George L. Theobald, burying horse . . .	5.00
A. B. Stearns, labor	16.80
Humphrey, Dodge Co., supplies	64.90
W. C. Green, cash paid for labor, etc. . .	79.27
National Tube Works, supplies	34.40
George Abbott, Jr., white lead	17.25
N. E. Gamewell Co., supplies	42.70
N. H. Electric Co., supplies	6.06
Charles W. Wilcox, carpet	2.80
Stovene Manufacturing Co., supplies . . .	10.00
C. W. Dadmun, supplies	14.53
A. S. Jackson, supplies	37.10
C. R. Dame, supplies	6.00
Lee Brothers, plumbing	85.35
Arthur Bruce, witch hazel	7.50
O. N. Davis, supplies	2.48
O. N. French, supplies	2.00
J. M. Stewart & Sons Co., supplies . . .	15.98
Baker & Knowlton, supplies	3.72
James R. Hill & Co., supplies	19.10
W. A. Sleeper, lap robe	2.50
Mrs. A. B. Young, supplies	10.12
John Caldbeck, carting	4.20
H. D. Hammond, supplies	5.32
American Soap & Washoline Co., sup- plies	6.00
E. B. Hutchinson Building Co., repairs . .	8.00
Michael Corbett, watching fire	2.00
Foote, Brown & Co, fighting fire	6.50
F. W. Sepp & Co, repairs	164.84
Concord Machine Co., repairs	43.16
Concord Foundry Co., repairs	2.50
J. A. Dadmun & Co., repairs	8.18
Huntley & Tenney, repairs	99.57

Abbot-Downing Co., repairs . . .	\$89.95
C. H. Martin & Co., supplies . . .	37.39
Rowell & Plummer, repairs . . .	36.10
Robert J. Macguire, veterinary surgeon . . .	72.82
Mrs. George Jones, storage . . .	12 00
F. S. Farnum, repairs . . .	5.40
Parmenter & Co., supplies . . .	14.46
Norris A. Dunklee, clipping horses . . .	8.00
Sturtevant & Son, supplies . . .	29.00
J. D. Johnson & Son, supplies . . .	39 90
Cushman Electric Co., supplies . . .	2.50
C. Pelissier & Co. . . .	36.56
A. H. Britton & Co., repairs . . .	94.10
City liquor agency, alcohol . . .	3 00
Underhill & Kittredge, supplies . . .	.75
Lowell Eastman, repairs . . .	9.63
W. M. Darrab, labor and materials . . .	20.01
Samuel Eastman & Co., supplies . . .	7.00
A. P. Fitch & Co., supplies . . .	2 00
W. F. Thayer, treasurer, pay rolls labor . . .	48.35
Boston Belting Co., supplies . . .	4.00
Frank H. George, repairing furnace . . .	1.65
F. E. Coburn, supplies . . .	1.50
H. P. Bennett, supplies . . .	1.92
American Fire Engine Co., grate . . .	11.85
Manchester Locomotive Works, repair of steamer . . .	126.29
Mrs. Ida Sanborn, repairs . . .	1.15
Concord Axle Co., labor . . .	.50
J. H. Rowell & Co., repairs on concrete . . .	2.50
Concord Ice Co., ice . . .	13.74
W. Carpenter, repairs . . .	4.53
Penacook Lake Ice Co., ice . . .	11.56
W. C. Spicer, supplies . . .	13.08
Isaac Baty, supplies . . .	17.20
Taylor, Durgin & Sebra, supplies . . .	1.15
N. B. Burleigh . . .	1.00

S. C. Marden, pasturing horse . . .	\$2.00
J. C. Carlton, supplies . . .	5 00
G. W. Wales, relining old hose . . .	4.39
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	\$1,686.81
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	\$20,336.95

INCIDENTALS AND LAND DAMAGE.

Appropriation	\$5,000.00
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Paid as follows :

D. J. Donovan, guardian, land damage . .	\$25.00
N. E. Telephone and Telegraph Co., use of telephones	548.14
F. W. Landon, inspector of wires . . .	151.25
Concord Coal Co., fuel at city hall . . .	93.35
Jackman & Lang, insurance	36.50
Eastman & Merrill, insurance	24.00
Morrill & Danforth, insurance	213.70
Martin & Luscomb, rent mayor's office . .	12.50
Heirs J. H. Chase, rent mayor's office . .	150.00
W. P. Ladd, rent tax collector's office . .	91.66
Estate Cyrus Hill, rent cemetery commis- sioners' office	36.50
Eastman & Merrill, bonds for city officers	80.00
Chase & Martin, bonds for city officers . .	150 00
Dr. N. W. McMurphy, vaccination	5.00
Dr. Chancey Adams, vaccination	16.00
Charles C. Danforth, salary police com- missioner, 1896	100.00
Giles Wheeler, salary police commissioner, 1896	125 00
Josiah E. Dwight, salary police commis- sioner, 1896	100.00
Concord Light and Power Co., gas	140.00
Concord Land and Water Power Co., lights	215.40
B. W. Couch, taxes refunded	5.18

Arthur Bourlet, taxes refunded . . .	\$12.92
Samuel Holt, taxes refunded . . .	138.18
Henry W. Stevens, taxes refunded . . .	4.80
Gustavus Walker, taxes refunded . . .	13.74
J. A. Cochran, city clerk, vital statistics, 1896	160.45
W. F. Thayer, pay roll return marriage certificates	29.00
W. F. Thayer, pay roll return births and deaths	191.75
J. A. Cochran, city clerk, vital statistics to January 26, 1897	10.50
J. A. Cochran, city clerk, collecting names of children, returned to treasury . . .	35.75
J. A. Cochran, city clerk, vital statistics, 1897, returned to treasury	138.00
E. H. Randall & Co., repairs city hall . .	3.00
J. T. Fiske, repairs tools . . . . .	.75
Lee Brothers, plumbing city hall . . .	25.71
N. B. Burleigh, repairs lawn mower . .	4.85
W. M. Darrah, repairs city hall . . .	27.51
F. W. Scott & Co., repairs city hall . .	46.51
F. W. Scott & Co., fence city hall lot . .	18.05
J. M. Stewart & Sons Co., carpets, rugs, and repairs	100.85
L. R. Fellows, repairs police station . .	16.00
Stevens & Duncklee, repairs city hall fur- nace	41.68
Stevens & Duncklee, repairs	2.98
C. L. Norris, repairs Good Will hose house	23.00
Globe Horseshoeing Shop, repairs city hall boiler	1.50
Ellard Brothers, painting city hall armory	41.00
W. Carpenter, repairs city hall . . .	6.00
Norris A. Dunklee, livery, city govern- ment	31.50
D. H. Gienty, livery, city government . .	8.00
Fellows & Davis, livery, city government	3.00

Eugene H. Davis, livery, city government	\$5.00
John Chadwick, livery, city government .	2.50
C. F. Batchelder, posting notices for city government	13.50
H. O. Adams, typewriting for city government	2.00
F. P. Curtis, overseer poor, livery	6.00
M. E. M. Flanders, return death certificate .	.50
A. Carlson, return marriage certificates .	2.75
E. H. Dixon, city messenger, cash paid out	4.75
J. A. Cochran, city clerk, cash paid out .	46.71
Town School District, registering children	6.25
Edward A. Stevens, city messenger, cash paid out	16.15
J. J. Trenoweth, pay as fireman, 1894, 1895, and 1896	37.63
J. A. Cochran, city clerk, bounty . . . . .	.50
J. M. Stewart & Sons Co., use of furniture in ward room	2.50
J. M. Stewart & Sons Co., furniture mayor's office	58.18
Chancey Adams, M. D., medical services	3.00
Howard Watch and Clock Co., repairs city clock	2.50
Edward A. Stevens, services at city hall .	9.38
Stevens & Duncklee, lawn mower	9.77
W. W. Allen, burial permits	8.55
Concord Water Works, water	55.00
N. H. Democratic Press Co., advertising, for cemetery commissioners	4.20
Edson C. Eastman, supplies . . . . .	.50
J. H. Ford, substitute for city messenger	20.00
American Express Co., express city reports	1.08
J. N. Inman, ringing bell, July 4	2.00
A. W. Walker, ringing bell, July 4	2.00
Guy L. Crosby, ringing bell, July 4	2.00
John Fanning, ringing bell, July 4	2.00

W. H. Putnam, ringing bell, July 4	\$2.00	
Howard M. Cook, substitute for city clerk	26.00	
Frank L. Sanders, book	11.05	
W. S. Wilson, plants, etc., Memorial Arch	15.00	
E. H. Dixon, care of armory rooms, 1896	50.00	
Boston & Maine Railroad, judgment	201.07	
W. A. Greenough, city directories	18.00	
T. S. Buck, rubber stamps	6.93	
Silsby & Son, parchment, Humphrey testi- monial . . . . .	.40	
W. E. Hunt, frame, Humphrey testimo- nial	1.30	
E. H. Randall, railing Memorial Arch	40.00	
F. W. Scott & Co., repairs at armory	10.26	
W. F. Thayer, treasurer, pay roll moving street railway at Penacook	70.37	
Henry Morrill, as per contract, moving street railway at Penacook	552.20	
A. P. Fitch, supplies cleaning city hall	2.00	
George A. Foster, services as appraiser	3.00	
George A. Place, typewriter ribbon	1.00	
Edward A. Stevens, care of armory rooms	50.00	
W. F. Thayer, treasurer, pay roll, clearing ice, White Park	28.65	
Town School District, enumerating chil- dren	15.00	
George H. Prescott, bill files	3.00	
Ruth A. Minot, preparing vital statistics	17.00	
Silsby & Son, supplies57	
A. J. Shurtleff, special justice	8.00	
A. L. Mellows, order outstanding	1.00	
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		\$4,916.86
Unexpended balance		83.14
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		\$5,000.00

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation for general maintenance and repairs	\$18,000.00	
“ for permanent work including portable stone crusher	8,000.00	
“ for cleaning streets	4,000.00	
“ for new concrete	3,000.00	
“ for repairing concrete	1,500.00	
“ for catch basins	800.00	
“ for street sprinkling	4,000.00	
“ for salary of commissioner	1,400.00	
Special appropriation for catch basins	300.00	
		<hr/> \$41,000.00

Paid as follows :

Appropriation for general maintenance and repairs	\$18,000.00
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CENTRAL DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay rolls	\$4,441.18
J. S. Dutton, rent	108.00
Concord Light and Power Co., gas	2.54
Concord Land and Water Power Co., lights	92.80
C. H. Martin & Co., paints, oils, etc.	14.84
Humphrey, Dodge & Co., hardware	133.76
H. C. Sturtevant & Son, grain	243.50
*Republican Press Association, books, printing, etc.	61.95
J. M. Stewart & Sons Co., office table	8.00
Samuel K. Gill, hay	60.48
Huntley & Tenney, repairs	75.15
D. H. Gienty, bay horse	100.00
Concord Water Works, water	124.00
Hugh Tallant, plank	36.51
Frank W. Paige, plank	87.48

Alfred Clark, postage, express, etc.	\$20.93
*Ira C. Evans, printing	13.25
C. H. Johnson, hay for bedding	9.90
Hutchinson Building Co., lumber and labor	16.82
John Hadlock, edges and repairs	67.85
Robert J. Macguire, services	21.75
A. H. Britton & Co., hardware	13.71
S. F. Patterson, picks	15.39
Frank Coffin & Co., hay	29.70
J. D. Johnson & Son, repairs	36.75
Stevens & Duncklee, pipe, etc.	30.85
Alfred Clark, gravel	33.20
P. A. Richardson, gravel	3.70
E. H. Runnells, mowing	49.00
George Partridge, pasturing horse	3.00
E. H. Runnells, sand	3.60
J. Elizabeth Hoyt, gravel	54.60
Frank Adams, gravel	19.90
Charles H. Noyes, gravel	7.20
Samuel Holt, labor	16.60
N. M. Stetson, tubs	1.25
James E. McShane, horseshoeing	90.00
George A. Dow, blacksmithing	3.50
Nutting & Hayden, labor	.25
William P. Ford & Co., plow points	1.50
Holt Brothers' Manufacturing Co., labor, etc.	2.85
C. C. Perkins, oil	2.01
Cushman Electric Co., labor	9.75
	<hr/> \$6,168.99

Shade Trees.

Labor pay rolls	\$83.15
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Bridges.

Labor pay rolls	\$7.21
Nelson & Durrell, oil	3.94
John A. Lewis, lighting bridge	55.00
Hutchinson Building Co., lumber	16.50

Humphrey-Dodge & Co., bolts . . .	\$0.61	
Fred. Farnum, labor	7.50	
Holt Brothers' Manufacturing Co., white oak . . . . .	.80	
	<hr/>	\$91.56

Culverts.

Labor pay rolls	\$151.23	
W. H. Perry, grout	3.50	
	<hr/>	\$154.73

Fences.

Labor pay rolls		\$9.92
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Macadamizing.

Labor pay rolls	\$67.76	
Concord Water Works, water	6.00	
O. S. Kelly Co., roller spikes, etc. . .	16.10	
Cushman Electric Co., labor, etc. . .	17.50	
H. O. Marsh & Co., coal	60.50	
Morrill & Danforth, insurance on crusher .	15.00	
Page Belting Co., tallow	1.60	
Goodhue & Milton, repairs	3.85	
E. H. Randall, repairs	6.65	
M. H. Bradley, rent of land	60.00	
C. H. Martin & Co., oil, etc.	4.85	
	<hr/>	\$259.81

Winter Expense.

Labor pay rolls	\$1,322.48	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., snow-shovels . .	3.00	
*Republican Press Association, postals .	8.00	
Albert Thompson, breaking roads . . .	5.83	
	<hr/>	\$1,339.31

Sanding.

Labor pay rolls	\$382.51	
Joseph Stickney, rent of land	12.00	
	<hr/>	\$394.51

Paving.

Labor pay rolls	\$326.18	
Ola Anderson, paving blocks	56 87	
	<hr/>	\$383.05

Sidewalks.

Labor pay rolls	\$539.39	
Hutchinson Building Co., lumber	35.56	
	<hr/>	\$574.95

Crossings.

Labor pay rolls	\$12.24	
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City Teamsters.

Labor pay rolls	\$900.00	
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WEST CONCORD DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay rolls	\$519.72	
Concord Water Works, water	40.00	
Thompson & Hoague, dipper . . . . .	.40	
Simeon Partridge, sharpening picks	4.30	
George Partridge, oil . . . . .	.70	
C. H. Martin & Co., paint	6.60	
	<hr/>	\$571.72

Culverts.

Labor pay rolls	\$196.34	
Concord Street Railway, tickets	5.00	
J. M. Crossman, blacksmithing	2.23	
John Swenson, stone	6.00	
Dickerman & Co., salt60	
Crowley & Quinn, stone	12.00	
	<hr/>	\$222.17

Macadamizing.

Labor pay rolls	\$214.29	
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Winter Expense.

Labor pay rolls	\$158.39	
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PENACOOK DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay rolls	\$701.43	
Concord Water Works, water	40.00	

CITY EXPENSES.

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N. S. Gale & Co., pipe, etc.	\$7.69
J. E. Symonds & Co., lumber81
C. M. & A. W. Rolfe, lumber	3.39
W. Arthur Bean, labor	2.50
Foote, Brown & Co., nails	1.00
Concord Foundry Co., repairing fountain	30.00
S. G. Sanborn, blacksmithing	20.61
C. M. & A. W. Rolfe, use of watering trough	3.00
Frank P. Colby, use of watering trough	3.00

\$813.43**Culverts.**

Labor pay rolls	\$9.86
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Bridges.

Labor pay rolls	\$8.17
C. M. & A. W. Rolfe, plank	74.34
S. F. Patterson, repairing bridge	33.17
Penacook Electric Light Co., lights	75.00
Taylor, Durgin & Sebra, labor	8.22
N. S. Gale & Co., nails	5.93

\$204.83**Sidewalks.**

Labor pay rolls	\$174.45
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Crossings.

Labor pay rolls	\$4.94
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Winter Expense.

Labor pay rolls	\$344.09
N. S. Gale & Co., snow shovels80

\$344.89**Sanding.**

Labor pay rolls	\$66.23
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POTTER STREET DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay rolls	\$139.48
John T. Tenney, powder, spikes, etc.	4.15
Charles Rowell, grade72
John Hutchinson, labor	2.50

\$146.85

Culverts.

Labor pay rolls	\$3.37
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Winter Expense.

Labor pay rolls	\$30.00
John T. Tenney, nails78
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	\$30.78

EGYPT DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay rolls	\$145.40
George G. Jenness, plank	3.78
George G. Jenness, hardpan	7.80
Esther C. Jenness, use of watering trough	3.00
E. T. Jenness, use of watering trough	3.00
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	\$162.98

Winter Expense.

Labor pay rolls	\$34.65
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EAST CONCORD VILLAGE DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay rolls	\$428.71
A. B. Young, oil, etc.	8.21
Fred Carter, lighting street lamp	14.00
Rufus Virgin, lumber	4.00
Hugh Tallant, lumber	2.40
Cyrus R. Robinson, use of watering trough	20.00
George E. Cate, blacksmithing	2.80
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	\$480.12

Culverts.

Labor pay rolls	\$31.04
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Sidewalks.

Labor pay rolls	\$8.10
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Winter Expense.

Labor pay rolls	\$56.75
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MILLVILLE DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay rolls	\$1,627.87	
St. Paul's School, labor, etc.	32.37	
St. Paul's School, gravel	11.70	
Town of Hopkinton, gravel	2.70	
Mrs. E. D. Massison "	2.90	
Nathaniel White, Jr. "	18.60	
Charles Nutting "	16.80	
Peter Clark "	10.90	
J. W. Paige "	10.20	
W. H. Dow, picks	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,737.04

Winter Expense.

Labor pay rolls	\$60.37
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EAST CONCORD INTERVAL DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay rolls	\$24.62	
Charles C. Graham, use of watering trough	6.00	
S. M. Locke, sleepers50	
J. S. Locke, plank, bolts, etc.	1.65	
	<hr/>	\$32.77

Winter Expense.

Labor pay rolls	\$24.08
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VIRGIN DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay rolls	\$151.75	
Fales P. Virgin, use of watering trough 1896 and 1897	6.00	
Fales P. Virgin, lumber	4.25	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., nails . . . . .	.48	
	<hr/>	\$162.48

NORTH CONCORD DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay rolls	\$279.08	
John C. Kitburn, posts	1.16	
Charles Sanborn, grade	5.76	
Albert Morrill, posts	2.44	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., nails . . . . .	.75	
George Prescott, painting signs	3.75	
Moody Boyce, labor	2.00	
	<hr/>	\$294.94

Winter Expense

Labor pay rolls	\$24.95
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MOUNTAIN DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay rolls	\$112.35	
E. W. Langmaid, grade	18.75	
	<hr/>	\$131.10

Winter Expense.

Labor pay rolls	\$21 66
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HOT HOLE POND DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay rolls	\$11.70	
A. G. Moore, plank	6.57	
	<hr/>	\$18.27

Winter Expense.

Labor pay rolls	\$5.90
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NUMBER FOUR DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay rolls	\$172.28
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Culverts.

Labor pay rolls	\$38.62	
Johnson & Simpson, covering stone	14.40	
F. E. Dimond, stone, etc.	3.30	
	<hr/>	\$56.32

Winter Expense.

Labor pay rolls	\$32.72
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LONG POND NORTH DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay rolls	\$202.59
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Winter Expense.

Labor pay rolls	\$25.34
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HORSE HILL DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay rolls	\$100.71	
R. W. Hoit, grade	2.70	
	<hr/>	\$103.41

Culverts.

Labor pay rolls	\$78.54	
R. W. Hoit, lighting road	1.20	
Crowley & Quinn, stone	8.10	
	<hr/>	\$87.84

MAST YARD DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay rolls	\$92.60
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SANBORN DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay rolls	\$62.40
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PENACOOK INTERVAL DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay rolls	\$25.75	
Ai J. Smith, use of watering trough	3.00	
E. L. Batchelder, lumber	10.30	
George Prescott, painting signs	2.50	
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		\$41.55

Winter Expense.

Labor pay rolls	\$4.50	
Balance on hand *	492.83	
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		\$18,000.00
Appropriation for permanent work	\$8,000.00	

CENTRAL DISTRICT.**Macadamizing.**

Labor pay rolls	\$3,446.44	
Hutchinson Building Co., stakes	1.50	
A.B. Woodworth, expense account crusher,	18.24	
Climax Road Machine Co., crusher plant	385.22	
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight	76.78	
H. O. Marsh & Co., coal	160.72	
J. H. Houghton, spikes and pins	14.04	
Cushman Electric Co., labor	8.30	
H. C. Sturtevant & Son, grain	26.00	
Thomas J. Nolan, duck cover	22.00	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., hose, belting, etc.	11.80	
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		\$5,171.04

PENACOOK DISTRICT.**Macadamizing.**

Labor pay rolls	\$1,813.27	
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight	60.57	
Concord Street Railway, tickets	30.00	

* This amount is increased \$83.20 by transfer of printing bills to printing and stationery.

N. S. Gale & Co., hardware	\$6.77	
Foote, Brown & Co., oil, etc. . . .	16.19	
D. Warren Fox, waste, etc. . . .	1.97	
C. R. Dame, powder and fuse	2.50	
E. L. Davis, coal	188.15	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., rope, etc. . . .	27.20	
Climax Road Machine Co., chain	1.20	
C. A. Bailey, crushed stone	491.11	
Concord Axle Co., labor, etc. . . .	3.27	
C. M. & A. W. Rolfe, lumber, etc. . . .	13.18	
Mrs. Charles H. Rowe, use of land	7.50	
	<hr/>	\$2,612.88
Transferred to catch-basins appropriation		200.00
Balance on hand		16.08
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		\$8,000.00
Appropriation for catch basins	\$800.00	
Transferred from permanent work appropriation	200.00	
Transferred from money on deposit	300.00	
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CENTRAL DISTRICT.**Building Catch Basins.**

Labor pay rolls	\$81.32	
Concord Foundry Co., traps, etc. . . .	139.66	
Joseph Giddis, mason work	63.00	
Frank Coffin & Co., cement	21.25	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., pipe	78.23	
Samuel Holt, brick	63.75	
Rowell & Plummer, labor	2.70	
	<hr/>	\$449.91

Cleaning Catch-Basins.

Labor pay rolls	\$654.06	
Stevens & Duncklee, sewer dippers	2.00	
Proctor & Burt, rubber boots	7.50	
	<hr/>	\$663.56

WEST CONCORD DISTRICT.**Building Catch-Basins.**

Labor pay rolls	\$13.11	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., pipe	8.10	
Concord Foundry Co., traps, etc.	6.38	
Woodworth & Co., cement	1.25	
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		\$28.84

Cleaning Catch-Basins.

Labor pay rolls	\$5.25
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PENACOOK DISTRICT.**Building Catch-Basins.**

Labor pay rolls	\$21.33	
John E. Rines, brick	7.00	
George Neller, mason work	7.35	
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		\$35.68

Cleaning Catch-Basins.

Labor pay rolls	\$59.24
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EAST CONCORD VILLAGE DISTRICT.**Cleaning Catch-Basins.**

Labor pay rolls	\$1.50	
Balance on hand	56.02	
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		\$1,300.00

Appropriation for cleaning streets	\$4,000.00	
Transferred from new concrete appropriation	266.56	
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		\$4,266.56

CENTRAL DISTRICT.**Cleaning Streets.**

Labor pay rolls	\$3,226.88	
*Republican Press Association, printing, etc.	7.20	

*By transfer to printing and stationery there is left a balance of \$7.20 of this appropriation.

Abbot-Downing Co., repairs	\$94.00	
Hickory Broom Fibre Co., brooms	3.50	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., rakes	8.50	
	<hr/>	\$3,340.08

Night Collection Ashes.

Labor pay rolls	\$396.19
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Night Collection Paper.

Labor pay rolls	\$333.17
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WEST CONCORD DISTRICT.**Cleaning Streets.**

Labor pay rolls	\$14.96
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PENACOOK DISTRICT.**Cleaning Streets.**

Labor pay rolls	\$147.81
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EAST CONCORD VILLAGE DISTRICT.**Cleaning Streets.**

Labor pay rolls	\$34.35
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	*\$4,266.56

Appropriation for sprinkling	\$4,000.00
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CENTRAL DISTRICT.

Labor pay rolls	\$2,630.17
C. H. Martin & Co., paint, etc.	27.69
Humphrey-Dodge Co., seat springs85
Samuel Eastman & Co., hose, etc.	62.00
Concord Foundry Co., repairs	2.75
Huntley & Tenney, repairs	53.70
Goodhue & Milton, repairs	28.60

*By transfer to printing and stationery there is left a balance of \$7.20 of this appropriation.

Concord Water Works, water . . .	\$700.00	
Abbot-Downing Co., repairs . . .	11.75	
Stevens & Duncklee, sprinkler . . .	21.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,538.51
Balance on hand		461.49
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		\$4,000.00
Appropriations for new concrete . .	\$3,000.00	

Central District.

Labor pay rolls	\$349.06	
J. H. Rowell & Co., new concrete . .	1,204.39	
Johnson & Simpson, edgestone . .	244.69	
Daniel Weathers, edgestone . . .	81.25	
New England Granite Works, edgestone .	196.91	
Ola Anderson, edgestone	282.10	
Louis Comolli, edgestone	11.08	
Frank J. Batchelder, stone step . .	1.50	
	<hr/>	\$2,370.93

Penacook District.

Labor pay rolls	\$1.63	
J. H. Rowell & Co., new concrete . .	207.08	
	<hr/>	\$208.71
Transferred to cleaning streets appropria- tion		\$266.56
Balance on hand		153.80
	<hr/>	\$3,000.00
Appropriation for repairing concrete	\$1,500.00	

Central District.

Labor pay rolls	\$25.94	
J. H. Rowell & Co., repairing concrete	1,474.06	
	<hr/>	\$1,500.00
Appropriation for salary commissioner highways	\$1,400.00	
Paid Alfred Clark, commissioner . .	1,400.00	
Appropriation for moving street railway		\$625.00

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Labor pay rolls	\$60.41	
Henry Morrill, contract	552.20	
N. S. Gale & Co., pipe, etc.	9.96	
	<hr/>	\$622.57
Balance on deposit	\$2.43	
	<hr/>	\$625.00

POLICE AND WATCH.

Regular appropriation	\$12,361.00
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Paid as follows:

Pay Rolls.

Marshal, Deputy Marshal, captain of watch and nine patrolmen	\$9,875.48	
Special police	263.00	
Janitor	216.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,354.48

Fuel.

Concord Coal Co., coal and wood	\$199.26	
E. L. Davis, coal and wood at Penacook	23.46	
	<hr/>	\$227.72

Board of Horse and Shoeing.

Fellows & Davis, board of horse	\$151.66	
Eugene Davis, board of horse	25.13	
A. C. Sanborn, pasturing horse	2.00	
M. F. Bickford, board of horse	98.32	
James E. McShane, shoeing horse	25.00	
	<hr/>	\$302.11

Horse Hire.

M. F. Bickford	\$9.50	
John Chadwick, Penacook	47.00	
	<hr/>	\$56.50

Lights.

Concord Land & Water Power Co.	\$96.93	
Concord Light & Power Co.	28.50	
Penacook Electric Light Co.	31.90	
	<hr/>	\$157.33

Rent Penacook.

Union Guaranty Savings Bank . . .	\$27.00	
C. H. Sanders	81.00	
	<hr/>	\$108.00

Telephone and Street Gong, Penacook.

Penacook Electric Light Co., labor . .	\$4.58	
A. H. Hoyt, supplies	38.25	
Local Telephone Exchange, service . .	2.50	
John Chadwick, messenger service, . .	25.00	
	<hr/>	\$70.33

Water and Ice.

Concord Water Works, water,	\$28.00	
Concord Ice Co., ice	7.35	
	<hr/>	\$35.35

Helmets and Buttons.

Knox, the hatter, helmets and belts . .	\$34.50
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Uniforms Special Police.

Sleeper & Hood, coat	\$20.00
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New Boiler, Police Station.

Albert S. Trask	\$332.20
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Repairs and Incidentals.

Batchelder & Co., crackers for transients .	\$30.70
Silsby & Sons, supplies	22.50
P. H. Coleman, painting wagon	16.00
John C. Farrand, supplies, transients . .	10.73
A. C. Mantle, book	5.00
E. L. Davis, moving goods	3.00
Robert F. Keane, pressing and repairing coats	8.50
John T. Fiske, repairs	2.05
Huntley & Tenney, repairs	12.85
James R. Hill & Co., supplies	8.35
Stevens & Duncklee, supplies	5.60
Lee Brothers, plumbing	3.20

Humphrey-Dodge Co., hose	\$6.00	
C. Pelissier & Co., mattress	1.10	
Philbrick Furniture Co., mattress	1.95	
A. P. Fitch, supplies	3.00	
John R. Miller, repairs	1.00	
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		\$141.53
Unexpended balance		520.95
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		\$12,361.00

PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

Appropriation	\$2,500.00
N. H. Democratic Press Co., advertising .	\$117.24
N. H. Democratic Press Co., printing check-lists	4.00
Republican Press Association, advertising,	179.95
Republican Press Association, printing .	259.85
Republican Press Association, school re- ports	123.60
Ira C. Evans, miscellaneous printing .	460.80
Ira C. Evans, city report	964.47
Ira C. Evans, department reports . . .	102.00
Silsby & Son, supplies,	126.21
Stockbridge & Sanders, supplies, . . .	17.25
Frank L. Sanders, supplies	13.51
J. W. McMurphy, printing	25.77
Frank J. Batchelder, printing	12.25
Edson C. Eastman, supplies	8.95
A. E. Martel, letter book	5.00
H. E. Chandler, copy book	1.50
J. G. Chase, agent, supplies	1.60
Unexpended balance	76.05
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	\$2,500.00

The expenses of printing and stationery were incurred by the several departments as follows :

Mayor, including publication of inaugural address	\$29.40
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City clerk and overseer of poor, including books	\$125.61	
City auditor, including books	91.70	
City solicitor, briefs	12.75	
City treasurer, receipt books	13.25	
Assessors, including advertising	108.26	
Highway department, including advertising,	138.85	
Engineering department	13.10	
Police and watch	61.25	
Tax collector, receipt books	96.50	
Tax collector, stamped envelopes and printing	180.40	
Tax collector, tax notices	21.77	
Tax collector, advertising and stationery,	44.79	
Board of health	23.50	
Publishing ordinances	118.55	
Fire department	34.70	
City report	964.47	
Departmental reports	102.00	
School report	123.60	
City government, committees, etc.	74.25	
Police judge, complaints	4.00	
Public library	17.00	
Miscellaneous	24.25	
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		\$2,423.95

LEGAL EXPENSES.

Appropriations	\$200.00	
Paid as follows :		
Harry G. Sargent, costs advanced	\$29.86	
Harry G. Sargent, fees advanced	36.88	
Joseph Welcome, costs	15.49	
Harry G. Sargent, serving notices	13.95	
Unexpended balance	103.82	
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		\$200.00

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Appropriation	\$1,462.00	
Chas. E. Palmer, health officer, salary	\$800.00	

J. S. Dutton, rent	\$108.00	
E. N. Pearson, member board of health .	25.00	
Edward A. Clark, member board of health	25.00	
D. E. Sullivan, member board of health .	25.00	
Concord Light & Power Co., gas . . .	4.65	
	<hr/>	\$987.65

Care of Pest House.

W. A. Fernald, furniture	\$10.00	
W. R. Heath, supplies	4.64	
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Assistance Sanitary Inspector.

J. P. W. Roach, substitute health officer	\$31.30
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Bacteriological Tests.

Arthur K. Day, M. D., service	\$131.45	
Harold D. Ernst, M. D., service	3.00	
Edmund R. Angell, service	9.55	
	<hr/>	\$144.00

Material for Fumigation.

Woodworth & Co., sulphur	\$5.63	
C. H. Martin & Co., supplies	6.18	
A. H. Britton & Co., cylinder for fumigation	1.25	
	<hr/>	\$13.06

Incidentals.

F. L. Sanders	\$1.40
W. J. Fernald, recovering office table	2.25
Charles E. Palmer, cash paid out	44.03
Norris A. Dunklee, livery	51.00
Danforth, Forrest & Morgan, supplies	3.47
O. C. Phillips, burying dead horse	3.00
C. H. Martin & Co., supplies	17.75
George L. Theobald, service and horse hire	10.00
George L. Theobald, burying dog and cat	4.00

John H. Coburn, burying dog . . .	\$1.00	
DeWitt C. Howe, hack hire . . .	1.00	
Eugene H. Davis, livery . . .	1.00	
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		\$189.90
Unexpended balance . . .		181.45
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		\$1,462.00

COMMITTEE SERVICE.

Appropriation \$1,410.00

Paid as follows :

Charles E. Foote, alderman . . .	\$60.00
Charles H. Sanders, alderman . . .	60.00
George A. Hoit, alderman . . .	60.00
Frank E. Dimond, alderman . . .	60.00
Harry R. Hood, alderman . . .	75.00
John G. McQuilken, alderman . . .	60.00
John F. Webster, alderman . . .	60.00
Henry O. Adams, alderman . . .	75.00
James H. Rowell, alderman . . .	60.00
Howard A. Kimball, alderman . . .	60.00
Arthur F. Sturtevant, alderman . . .	60.00
Henry E. Conant, alderman . . .	60.00
Albert S. Trask, alderman . . .	60.00
William A. Lee, alderman . . .	60.00
James M. Killeen, alderman . . .	60.00
William C. Spicer, councilman . . .	30.00
William Taylor, councilman . . .	30.00
John W. Sanborn, councilman . . .	30.00
Russell P. Shepard, councilman . . .	45.00
Fred W. Scott, councilman . . .	30.00
Frank H. Smith, councilman . . .	30.00
Eben M. Willis, councilman . . .	30.00
Geo. W. Bunker, councilman . . .	30.00
Edward E. Lane, councilman . . .	30.00
Henry B. Colby, councilman . . .	45.00
Ethan N. Spencer, councilman . . .	30.00

Albert P. Davis, councilman . . .	\$30.00	
David A. Welch, councilman . . .	30.00	
Charles L. Norris, councilman . . .	30.00	
Albert Grant, councilman . . .	30.00	
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		\$1,410.00

SCHOOLS.

Unexpended balance of 1896 . . .	\$17,284.98	
Appropriation	34,705.00	
Walker fund, interest	60.00	
Additional appropriation, Union district	9,232.00	
Text-books	2,800.00	
Industrial education, Union district .	2,700.00	
Military drill, High school	300.00	
Additional appropriation, District No. 20	1,000.00	
Additional appropriation, Town district .	600.00	
Literary fund	1,846.98	
Dog licenses	1,284.47	
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		\$71,813.43

Paid as follows :

L. J. Rundlett, agent Union district	\$47,039.00	
I. N. Abbott, agent town district . .	3,700.00	
Henry Rolfe, agent District No. 20 . .	3,439.78	
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		\$54,178.78
Balance due school districts		17,634.65
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		\$71,813.43

SCHOOL HOUSE TAXES.

Appropriation for repairs and insurance :	
District No. 20	\$100.00
Unexpended balance	100.00

PRECINCT.

Unexpended balance, 1896	\$651.41
Appropriation, interest on sewer bonds .	1,670.00

Appropriation, to pay note	\$500.00	
Appropriation, to pay interest on note . .	17.50	
Appropriation, for lighting streets . . .	10,500.00	
Appropriation, for sewers	3,500.00	
Received rent of pumps, 1896	6.00	
Received sale of rubber boots	2.28	
Received sale of sewer pipe	43.84	
Received for labor and material on White's park	17.30	
Appropriation for rent of pumps, 1897 . .	90.76	
	<hr/>	\$16,999.09

Paid as follows :

Interest paid	\$1,760.00	
Note paid	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,260.00

Lighting Streets.

Concord Light & Power Co., gas	\$1,628.38	
Concord Land & Water Power Co., electric lights	8,158.73	
	<hr/>	\$9,787.11

Sewers.

Pay rolls, work on sewers	\$2,829.00	
Penacook sewer precinct, pipes	24.80	
Thompson & Hoague, pipes	209.10	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., pipes	217.00	
Berry & Ferguson, pipes	67.50	
J. H. Rowell & Co., concrete	20.50	
E. A. Cushing, trucking	34.50	
Geo. F. Sewell, trucking	7.00	
W. L. Riford, trucking	18.20	
J. F. Healey, trucking . . . . .	.50	
Geo. L. Theobald, trucking	40.60	
Woodworth & Co., cement	62.30	
Stockbridge & Sanders, binding	1.50	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., hardware	14.28	
Thompson & Hoague, hardware	68.27	
Geo. L. Theobald, gravel and teams	17.45	
Geo. W. Waters, hose and couplings	300.85	

A. H. Britton & Co., hardware . . .	\$6.55	
Lee Bros., valve and labor . . .	6.74	
H. C. Sturtevant & Son, oil . . .	5.40	
Highway department, paving . . .	6.50	
C. H. Martin & Co., supplies . . .	.71	
Danforth, Forrest & Morgan, labor, etc. . .	2.19	
Rowell & Plummer, labor and supplies . . .	46.92	
Goodhue & Milton, valves and repairs . . .	24.25	
Concord Foundry Co., manhole covers . . .	22.48	
Ford & Kimball, castings . . .	81.98	
Globe Horse-shoeing shop, repairs . . .	1.00	
W. A. Thompson, rubber boots . . .	7.50	
E. B. Hutchinson Building Co., lumber . . .	64.00	
Samuel Holt, brick and sand . . .	126.91	
Boston & Maine railroad, freight . . .	6.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,342.48
Unexpended balance . . .		609.50
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		\$16,999.09

Water Precinct.

Appropriation	\$6,000.00
Paid Concord Water Works	6,000.00

SALARIES.

Regular appropriation	\$10,952.00	
Special appropriation	181.61	
	<hr/>	\$11,133.61

Paid as follows :

Albert B. Woodworth, mayor	\$1,000.00
Joseph A. Cochran, city clerk	1,173.08
Joseph A. Cochran, overseer poor	200.00
Charles E. Foote, overseer poor, Ward 1	30.00
George A. Hoit, overseer poor, Ward 2	10.00
James O. Lyford, auditor	1,034.69
Harry G. Sargent, city solicitor	500.00
William F. Thayer, city treasurer	250.00
Edward A. Stevens, city messenger	600.00
Harvey P. Sanborn, clerk common council,	50.00
E. H. Dixon, care city clocks	21.25

J. P. Paige, care city clocks	\$63.75	
Board of Education, Union school district,	250.00	
Town district school board	200.00	
Board of Education, school district No. 20,	25.00	
A. W. Hobbs, assessor, Ward 3 (1896) .	6.00	
O. J. Fifield, " 1	258.00	
W. A. Cowley, " 2	276.00	
Joseph E. Shepard, " 3	381.00	
D. C. Woodman, " 4	276.00	
George F. Underhill, " 5	345.00	
George S. Dennett, " 6	393.00	
Jonathan B. Weeks, " 7	280.00	
John J. Lee, " 8	249.00	
James Ahern, " 9	366.00	
Pay-rolls, moderators	27.00	
Pay-rolls, ward clerks	90.00	
Pay-rolls, selectmen	135.00	
Benjamin E. Badger, judge police court .	800.00	
George M. Fletcher, clerk police court .	200.00	
W. P. Ladd, tax collector, taxes 1896 .	318.49	
W. P. Ladd, tax collector, taxes 1897 .	1,298.43	
Unexpended balance	26.92	
		<hr/> \$11,133.61

WHITE'S PARK.

Regular appropriation	\$3,250.00	
Transferred to parks and commons . .	50.00	
		<hr/> \$3,200.00
Special appropriation	144.58	
		<hr/> \$3,344.58

Paid as follows :

Pay-rolls, employees,	\$1,099.38
Salary of superintendent	1,080.00
Ola Anderson, stone bridge contract .	313.13
N. H. Democratic Press Co., advertising .	3.00
Ira C. Evans, printing placards	7.25
Danforth, Forrest & Morgan, materials and labor	204.78

W. H. Richardson, supplies	\$2.25
C. S. Flanders, care of swans and ducks . .	25.00
R. & J. Faraquat & Co., supplies	6.70
Peter Daley, labor	2.00
Horace S. Chaplin, wheelbarrow	7.00
John C. Thorne, rubber boots	4.25
John H. Ramsey, trees	9.00
Woodworth & Co., cement	2.50
George L. Fogg, repairs	2.20
Alma J. Herbert, interest on note	70.00
George W. Chesley, horse purchased . . .	40.00
George W. Chesley, labor, sand and loam .	255.38
Shady Hill Nursery, supplies	51.70
J. D. Johnson & Son	21.12
Thompson & Hoague, hardware	2.25
J. G. Taylor, rent of stall for horse . . .	15.25
Frank Coffin & Co., forage for horse . . .	45.37
<i>Garden and Forest</i> subscription	4.00
George Abbott, Jr., paint	1.21
W. L. Riford, freight and trucking	2.25
Humphrey-Dodge Co., supplies	58.46
Ross W. Cate, repairs	9.15
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	\$3,344.58

ROLLINS PARK.

Regular appropriation	\$750.00
Special appropriation	233.84
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	\$983.84

Paid as follows :

Pay-rolls, employees	\$357.63
Danforth, Forrest & Morgan, supplies . .	7.19
A. S. Chadbourne, trees and shrubs . . .	58.00
W. H. Richardson, supplies	3.25
Shady Hill Nursery	92.80
W. L. Riford, trucking	5.46
W. H. Richardson, cash paid out	2.55
Goodhue & Milton, supplies	130.47
W. G. C. Kimball, supplies	5.45

George W. Chesley, teams	\$87.63	
Boston & Maine R. R., freight	1.35	
Thompson & Hoague, hardware	14.26	
John Iba, rent of barn	4.00	
G. W. Lougee, storage	2.00	
Ira B. Shallies & Co., lumber	151.63	
George Abbott, Jr., painting	10.62	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., supplies	46.55	
Concord Water Works, water	3.00	
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		\$983.84

PENACOOK PARK.

Regular appropriation	\$100.00
Special appropriation	3.72
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	\$103.72

Paid as follows :

Pay-rolls, employees	\$66.90
C. H. Stevens & Co., lumber	16.48
Foote, Brown & Co., paints, oils, etc.,	5.82
Parmenter & Co., supplies	6.87
Thompson & Hoague, supplies	1.10
O. F. Richardson, labor	6.55
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	\$103.72

PARKS AND COMMONS.

Regular appropriation	\$175.00
Transferred from White's Park	50.00
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	\$225.00

Paid as follows :

Pay-roll employees	\$50.50
W. H. Richardson, cash paid out	3.20
R. & J. Faraquat & Co.,	9.40
Shady Hill Nursery, trees and shrubs	96.50
Boston & Maine R. R., freight . . . .	.40
J. H. Cunningham, supplies	16.34
W. L. Riford, trucking and freight	3.46
Goodhue & Milton, bibbs,	2.60
Concord Water Works	3.00

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Danforth, Forrest & Morgan . . .	\$1.53	
George W. Chesley, teams and loam . . .	31.80	
Unexpended balance	6.27	
	<hr/>	\$225.00

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Regular appropriation	\$5,500.00	
Special appropriation, income trust funds,	89.69	
	<hr/>	\$5,589.69

Pay-rolls.

Salary, librarian, assistants, and janitor	\$2,700.05
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Purchase of Books, Magazines, Etc.

Charles F. Batchelder, newspapers	\$142.98	
Woodbury E. Hunt, books	790.52	
The C. A. Nichols Co., books	30.00	
S. Raymond Roberts, books	6.00	
The Outlook Co., magazine	3.00	
E. C. Eastman, books	61.68	
E. C. Eastman, magazines	181.80	
N. H. Democratic Press Co., newspaper	6.00	
Granite Monthly. subscription	3.00	
Publishers' Weekly, index	3.50	
E. F. Bigelow, periodical	1.00	
Republican Press Association, Monitor	3.00	
D. Appleton & Co., books	45.00	
Balch Bros., books	28.00	
N. F. Carter, history Pembroke	4.25	
C. C. Haskell & Son, Abbott's Civil War,	4.00	
Jordan & Marsh, books	10.10	
	<hr/>	\$1,823.83

Printing Non-fiction Catalogue, Etc.

Ira C. Evans, cards, etc.	\$29.10	
Ira C. Evans, 500 finding lists	364.60	
Ira C. Evans, book slips	12.25	
	<hr/>	\$405.95

Fuel and Lights.

Concord Light & Power Co., gas . . .	\$121.90	
Concord Coal Co., coal and wood . . .	188.44	
H. O. Marsh & Co., wood . . .	1.98	
	<hr/>	\$312.32

Binding.

Stockbridge & Sanders	\$63.06	
Frank L. Sanders	77.93	
Boston Book Binding Co.	161.44	
Silsby & Son	21.52	
	<hr/>	\$323.95

Incidentals.

Silsby & Son, stationery supplies . . .	\$94.63	
Thompson & Hoague, hardware . . .	6.85	
Grace Blanchard, librarian, cash paid out	46.97	
Miller Bros'. Cutlery Co., pens . . .	2.25	
Benjamin Bilsborough, repairs and painting	55.85	
W. E. Parker, supplies	1.75	
Ira B. Shallies & Co., repairs . . .	62.66	
Lee Brothers, repairs	20.11	
C. G. Coffin & Co., grass seed . . .	1.19	
A. H. Britton & Co., repairs and supplies,	7.50	
W. B. Cunningham, transportation books to Penacook	52.00	
N. S. Gale, care books at Penacook . .	52.00	
Concord Water Works, water . . .	10.00	
W. S. Davis & Son, repairs	1.10	
Hood & Robbins, repairs	2.35	
Library Bureau, supplies	5.97	
Concord Ice Co., ice . . . . .	.75	
Stevens & Duncklee, repairs	11.55	
Frank L. Sanders, pens	1.50	
E. H. Randall, repairs	3.25	
T. H. Castor & Co., supplies	1.28	

J. M. Stewart & Sons Co., supplies	\$497.51	
Unexpended balance	26.08	
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		\$965.10
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		\$5,589.69

MEMORIAL DAY.

Appropriation		\$345.00
Paid as follows :		
D. Arthur Brown, for W. I. Brown Post,	\$75.00	
Frank Battles, for E. E. Sturtevant Post,	220.00	
A. C. Powell, for Davis Post	50.00	
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		\$345.00

MARGARET PILLSBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL.

Appropriation	\$2,000.00
Paid Wm. F. Thayer, treasurer	2,000.00

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

Regular appropriation	\$3,000.00
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Paid as follows :

Salary, engineer	\$1,500.00
Pay-rolls, employees	957.25
E. G. Sullivan, supplies	66.84
Stockbridge & Sanders, "	3.20
Silsby & Son, "	8.40
Frank L. Sanders "	28.35
J. G. Chase, agent "	2.35
George A. Berry & Co., "	1.30
F. W. Scott & Co. "	2.88
Humphrey-Dodge Co., "	1.00
C. Irving Swan, "	9.52
George A. Place, supplies and repairs	5.50
W. & L. Greeley, repairs	6.40
John T. Fiske & Co., repairs . . . . .	.75

George W. Wilson, supplies	\$4.50	
Concord Light & Power Co., gas . . .	1.65	
W. B. Howe, cash paid out, postage, car- fare, etc.	88.08	
Norris A. Dunklee, livery	72.00	
E. B. Hutchinson Building Co., stakes .	20.00	
J. S. Dutton, rent	204.00	
Unexpended balance	16.03	
		<hr/> \$3,000.00

BLOSSOM HILL CEMETERY.

Regular appropriation	\$2,500.00	
Special appropriations, of which \$2,929.26 is income of trust funds, receipts from sale of lots, grading, etc., deposited with city treasurer	3,130.97	
		<hr/> *\$5,630.97

Paid as follows :

W. F. Thayer, treasurer, pay-rolls, includ- ing salary of superintendent	\$5,270.58	
A. S. Chadbourne, trees and shrubs . .	111.50	
E. H. Dixon, trees	58.50	
George L. Theobald, horse	40.00	
Thelon H. Barker, shrubs and plants .	21.70	
George Main, plants	9.00	
W. M. Colby, plants	84.74	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., supplies	21.23	
E. H. Randall, repairs	13.72	
		<hr/> \$5,630.97

The treasurer of the Cemetery commission accounts for funds coming into his hands as follows :

Receipts.

Balance on hand from 1896	\$9.77
Received from sale of lots and grading .	1,071.81
Sale of lots	757.11

* Not included in the above is \$535.91, half the income from sale of lots, carried to Blossom Hill cemetery fund.

Received from burials, care of lots, etc. :

Mrs. D. D. Stanyan, care, . . .	\$1.00
A. C. Ferrin, . . .	1.50
John D. Gale, care and repairs . . .	2.75
B. I. Poore, care and repairs . . .	1.00
Mrs. Stephen Webster, care and repairs .	2.50
Mrs. Lowell Brown " .	2.00
Henry W. Greenough " .	2.00
J. S. Hubbard " .	1.50
William Ray " .	1.25
George Lincoln " .	1.00
John Swenson " .	1.00
John Swenson, foundation . . .	9.00
Mrs. T. A. Freeman, care . . .	1.50
J. E. Dwight, care . . .	2.00
Mrs. E. H. Greeley, care . . .	1.50
Mrs. Edwin Sanborn, care and repairs .	1.75
Mrs. A. S. Marshall, care . . .	2.00
Frank Presby, burial . . .	4.00
A. M. Follett, care . . .	1.50
Kimball Flanders, care . . .	1.00
Mrs. George Kellom, care . . .	1.00
Hosea Quimby, care . . .	2.00
R. E. Pecker estate, care . . .	2.00
Mrs. Mary Pecker estate, care . . .	1.00
A. S. Sprague, care . . .	2.00
Archie Leighton, burial . . .	1.00
Charles G. Blanchard, care . . .	2.00
C. H. Shute, care . . .	6.00
C. J. Smith, care . . .	2.00
George W. Crockett, care and repairs .	3.50
Mrs. L. S. Morrill, care . . .	1.50
L. H. Carroll, care . . .	2.00
Enoch Gerrish, care . . .	1.50
C. H. Noyes, care . . .	1.50
J. M. Hill, 2 lots, care . . .	5.00
H. N. Sargent, care . . .	1.00
Mary Perley, care . . .	3.00

H. W. Tarbox, burial	\$3.00
W. H. Kimball, care	1.00
Mrs. D. A. Warde, care	2.00
Benjamin F. Virgin, care	1.50
John Allison, care	1.50
William H. Allison, care and repairs .	2.50
Joseph H. Lane's estate, care and burial .	4.50
Miss P. Eaton, care	2.00
E. B. Hutchinson, care and plants . .	8.75
Jonathan Brown's lot, care	1.00
J. B. Palmer, care	2.00
Sidney Upham, care	2.00
Fred. U. Lane, care	1.50
Henry W. Ranlet, care	2.00
Henry Mason, care	2.00
Mrs. M. L. Brown, care	1.00
Mrs. F. Dodge, care	2.00
Mrs. G. N. Johnson, burial	3.00
John S. Blanchard, care	2.00
Augustus Bean, repairs	1.25
Mrs. L. E. Flaggs's estate, burial . .	3.00
W. E. Dow, care	1.00
W. J. Blakely estate, care and burial .	6.00
C. P. Smith, care and repairs	2.00
Mrs. G. L. Lovejoy, care	2.00
W. M. Mason, labor . . . .	.50
I. A. Hill, care	6.00
W. G. Shaw, care	2.00
Mrs. I. W. Hammond, care	1.50
J. W. George, care	1.50
F. D. Owens estate, burial	3.00
Mrs. George E. Todd, care	3.00
L. S. Packard, burial	4.00
L. S. Packard, care	1.50
Daniel Wyman, burial	4.00
George W. Heath, care	1.00
George W. Thompson, burial	3.00
F. H. Clement, care	1.00
E. G. Kilburn lot, repairs	1.50

Mrs. W. M. Mackay, H. J. Eaton's lot, repairs	\$3.00
John C. Blake, care	1.00
Mrs. J. McCarty (Mrs. Morrow), burial .	3.00
Rev. E. O. Jameson, burial	4.00
C. A. Herbert, care	1.00
W. H. Rogers, G. F. Weeks's burial . .	3.00
W. P. Paul's estate, burial	3.00
Mrs. Fred Pearson's estate, burial . . .	3.00
George Connell, care	2.00
Mrs. Abbott, Burbank lot, care	1.75
Miss Sarah Sanborn, care	1.50
S. N. Jackman estate, care	2.00
Mrs. H. B. Tibbetts estate, burial . . .	10.00
H. H. Hussey's estate, burial	3.00
H. A. Kimball, care	1.50
C. W. Spaulding, use of tomb	1.00
Zelotus Stevens, burial	4.00
Mrs. Fifield, use of tomb	1.00
Miss Lindquist, single grave and burial .	8.00
Mrs. Warren Clark, care	2.50
C. M. Saltmarsh, care	1.00
Mrs. C. B. Lawrence, care	2.00
Mr. Pennington, burial	3.00
Dr. Chancey Adams, care	2.00
Mrs. Sargent estate lot, repairs	10.00
N. H. Asylum (John Miller), burial . .	3.50
N. H. Asylum (Stephen Plant), burial .	3.50
Ellen M. Bixby, repairs	5.00
Mr. Ahlstrom, burial	1.00
Cummings Brothers, posts	1.50
Mr. Estey, burial . . . . .	.50
Miss J. Duncklee, care	2.00
F. D. Abbot, care	1.50
Mrs. May H. Beckett, single grave . . .	5.00
Mrs. May H. Beckett, burial . . . . .	.50
H. J. Crippen estate . . . . .	.28
F. E. Clark, burial	3.00
Cummings Brothers, posts	1.00

Mary A. Page, care	\$5.50
Mrs. N. G. Mead, care	2.00
R. A. Marshall, burial	3.00
W. H. Johns, burial	3.00
Mrs. G. Grant, removal . . . .	.50
Fred. Bacon, burial	1.00
George W. Waters, burial . . . .	.50
George W. Hall, use of tomb	1.00
F. E. Cogswell estate, burial	3.00
W. C. Batchelder, burial	3.00
D. Courser, care	2.50
A. B. Farnum, use of tomb . . . .	.50
Geo. J. Barney estate, burial	3.00
F. H. Clement, burial	3.00
Vases sold . . . .	.40
J. F. Hill, single grave	5.00
J. F. Hill, burial	3.00
G. W. Whittredge, dressing . . . .	.36
Mrs. Abbott, use of tomb	1.00
A. P. Sherburne, shrubs . . . .	.50
Clapp and Rolfe, care	2.50
Mrs. W. Bates, care	2.00
Miss C. Wyatt, labor . . . .	.25
W. H. Hurd, care	2.00
C. W. Ash, care of plants	4.00
Geo. A. Blanchard estate, burial	3.00
Frank Swasey, removal	3.00
L. P. Durgin, burial and repairs	5.50
Moses D. French estate, burial	3.00
A. Martin, repairs . . . .	.75
Mrs. W. Stevenson, care	1.00
Geo. G. Hatch, care	1.50
Mrs. Mary A. Franklin, burial	3.00
Gordon and Edgerly, care	2.00
C. P. Virgin, care	2.00
J. A. Moore, care and repairs	2.50
Benevolent Society, care and repairs	2.00
Mrs. J. E. Rines, removal	3.00
Mrs. J. E. Sargent estate, burial and care	9.75

H. W. Matthews estate, burial and care .	\$10.00
Fred Sawyer, burial	1.00
Benj. I. Poore estate, burial	3.00
J. T. Welch, burial	1.00
W. Tonkins, burial	3.00
Mrs. W. E. Norton, care	1.50
Mrs. Keyes and Miss Seavey, repairs .	4.00
J. J. Wyman estate, burial	3.00
Mrs. N. T. Smith estate, burial	3.00
Geo. W. Waters, burial	1.00
John McCauley estate, burial	4.00
Mr. Hemphill, burial . . . .	.50
James Hazelton, burial	3.00
A. G. Estabrook, care	1.50
Everson & Co., foundation	3.50
Rev. R. S. Mitchell, care	1.50
Nahum Robinson estate, repairs . . .	9.15
Waldo Emerson, burial	1.50
Geo. H. Whitman, burial	3.00
Geo. H. Rider, burial	1.00
F. H. Ellis, burial	3.00
L. E. Boswell, burial	3.00
Mrs. Geo. H. Hutchins, burial	8.00
C. W. Harrington, burial	3.00
F. Cummings, removal	3.00
G. L. Crowell, burial . . . .	.50
J. B. Cutha, burial	3.00
W. F. Hannaford, burial	3.00
Mrs. R. Adams, care	2.00
Mrs. A. W. Kimball, repairs	2.00
A. A. Grant, repairs	1.00
S. T. Ford, repairs	1.00
Mrs. B. M. Locke estate, burial and care	5.50
Mrs. Fernald, repairs . . . .	.75
J. M. Duncklee, care	1.00
Mrs. Newhall, repairs	4.00
M. A. Trivette, burial	3.00
Horace Plummer, removals and box .	5.00
C. E. Burnside, care	2.00

Betsey Hadley, burial	\$3.00
Josiah Batchelder, burial	3.00
Fred Proctor, burial	1.50
Jeremiah Smith, burial	3.00
W. G. Shaw, burial	3.00
W. W. Storrs, burial	3.00
C. A. Wasto, burial	3.00
Miss E. Sedgley, repairs and care . .	12.00
L. W. Glysson, care and repairs . .	2.00
H. W. Marcy (Jackson lot), repairs .	16.00
Zelotus Stevens, repairs	1.00
Mr. Beard, labor	1.50
Geo. F. Bond, foundation	6.00
C. A. Hutchins, burial	8.00
John Lugg, burial and labor	2.50
Sylvester Dana, burial and repairs .	4.00
William Yeaton estate, burial . . .	3.00
David Moses, burial	3.00
William Ladd, care. . . .	2.00
Mrs. Nancy Hill estate, burial . . .	8.00
Mrs. Sarah E. Bickford estate, burial	3.00
George A. Berry, care	1.50
Norman G. Carr, care	2.00
N. H. Shattuck, care	1.50
R. F. Robinson, care	2.00
J. C. Badger, care	2.00
A. P. Sherburne, care	1.50
Samuel F. Morrill, care	2.00
F. Mosely & Sons, care	2.50
Frederick Booth, burial	3.00
Harry D. Hammond, care	2.00
Mrs. C. J. Whitney, care	1.00
John C. French, care one-half lot . .	.75
George H. Russ, care	4.00
W. E. Baker, care	1.00
John Connell estate, care and repairs	3.00
Charles W. Clarke, care	1.00
Mrs. J. Morgan estate, care	3.00
Miss E. Sturtevant, care	1.00

Woodbridge Odlin, care and burial . . .	\$10.00
Cyrus Sargent, care and burial . . .	1.75
Herman C. Jewell, burial . . .	3.00
Mrs. A. C. Heath, care . . .	2.00
Frank Coffin, care . . .	2.00
James Minot (Pickering lot), care . . .	1.50
James Minot (Burleigh lot), care . . .	2.00
Charles F. Batchelder, care . . .	2.00
Mrs. George E. Jenks, care . . .	2.00
William L. Foster estate, burial . . .	3.00
George H. Marston, care . . .	2.00
William P. Ford, " . . .	1.00
Mrs. H. E. Perkins, " . . .	2.00
Mrs. G. L. Nutter, " . . .	2.00
John P. Nutter, " . . .	1.00
S. C. Eastman, " . . .	1.00
William E. Chandler, plants and care . . .	6.00
Seth R. Dole, care . . .	1.00
Frank P. Mace, care . . .	2.00
Fred S. Johnson, care . . .	2.75
J. Connelly estate, burial . . .	3.00
H. R. Hood, burial . . .	2.50
Allan Blodgett, burial . . .	1.00
Horse sold . . .	20.00
Collar sold . . .	1.00
George F. Page, care . . .	3.00
Mrs. G. H. H. Silsby, care . . .	2.00
F. J. Batchelder, " . . .	1.50
W. D. Thompson, " . . .	1.50
N. T. Smith estate, " . . .	1.00
J. W. Drew, " . . .	3.00
Mrs. Dearborn (Stevens lot), care . . .	2.00
Mrs. John A. West, " . . .	2.00
C. J. Smith, " . . .	2.00
N. H. Asylum (Kent lot), " . . .	3.00
H. B. Tebbetts, repairs and care . . .	3.75
Fred W. Boardman, care . . .	1.50
Joseph Palmer estate, care . . .	2.00
E. O. Jameson, care . . .	2.00

Charles S. Mellen, care	\$5.00
W. K. Day estate, burial and care . . .	5.00
Mrs. L. J. Uffenheimer, care	2.00
Daniel Holden, care	2.00
Frank P. Jones, burial	3.00
Mrs. G. Bullock, care	1.00
Mrs. A. S. White, care	25.00
Mrs. J. H. Chase, care and plants . . .	6.25
Benjamin I. Poor's estate, care . . .	1.00
John W. Wardwell, care	2.00
John M. Runals, care	2.00
Mr. Heath, burial	3.00
P. S. Smith, care	1.50
C. P. Bancroft, care	2.00
Mrs. George H. Adams, care	2.00
Mrs. Loran Clough, care	1.50
Rev. C. W. Bradlee, care	1.50
D. B. Dow, burial	1.00
George B. Davis, burial	3.00
Miss Mary Perley, care	3.00
O. S. Snell, care	1.00
Mrs. R. V. Merrill, care	1.00
Charles O. Stearns, care	5.00
William M. Chase, care	2.00
Randall Burt estate, care	2.00
Charles E. Palmer, care	1.25
G. B. Emmons, care	2.00
Henry McFarland, care	3.00
Charles A. Dole, care	2.50
Mrs. G. A. Holt, care	5.00
George L. Lincoln, care and burial . . .	4.50
Annah J. Kimball, care	2.00
Joseph Wentworth, burial	8.00
J. Stephen Abbot estate, plants and care	17.85
Gerald Wyman, burial	1.50
Edson J. Hill, care	8.00
Charles Joy, care	1.50
Bert E. Manley, care and plants . . .	3.00
Dr. E. Morrill, care	1.00

William Badger, care	\$2.00
Mrs. Coleman, care	1.00
William Murdock, removal	1.50
E. C. Eastman, care	2.00
H. A. Dodge, care	3.00
A. T. Whittemore, care	1.00
L. A. Smith, care	2.00
Charles L. Gilmore, care	2.00
J. W. Robinson, burial	3.00
H. C. Brown, care	2.00
William B. Durgin, care	2.50
S. Blaney, care	2.00
F. L. Sanders, care	2.00
J. T. Batchelder, care	2.50
E. W. Brooks, burial	1.50
J. C. Easton, care	1.00
Mrs. R. M. Morgan, care	2.00
Dr. E. H. Foster estate, use of tomb	1.00
Miss Maria Woods, care and repairs. . . .	3.00
Mrs. E. Dow, "	1.50
Underhill Brothers, "	2.00
Mrs. A. Bunker, "	1.50
J. E. Dwight, "	2.00
H. E. Sturtevant, "	1.50
W. H. Horner, "	1 25
Thomas Young estate, "	1.50
John F. Webster, "	2.00
E. E. Brown, "	1.50
George L. Stratton, "	3.00
Miss M. Martin, "	1.50
George F. Buswell, "	1.50
C. C. Danforth, "	3.00
George L. Brown, "	2.00
S. N. Jackman estate, "	2.00
Clara Edgerly, "	1.00
Mrs. Donovan (Patterson lot), care and plants	2.00
E. B. Hutchinson, care and plants	7.50
Jonathan Brown, care	2.00
E. H. Randall, care	1.50

W. E. Hood, care and burial . . .	\$10.00
J. T. Sleeper, care . . .	1.00
W. A. Russell, care . . .	2.00
Mrs. I. D. Huntley, care . . .	1.50
Mrs. A. W. Hevenor, care . . .	1.50
Mrs. W. Emerson, care . . .	2.50
Mrs. E. Adams (Sanborn lot), care . . .	2.00
Mrs. George E. Todd, care . . .	3.00
Mrs. L. F. Lund, care . . .	5.00
C. W. Lane, care . . .	1.50
C. C. Webster, care . . .	2.00
J. G. Leighton, care . . .	1.00
George D. Waldron, burial . . .	1.50
Mrs. J. E. Sargent estate, care . . .	1.75
David Young, care. . .	1.50
Mrs. R. H. Emerson, care . . .	1.50
Mrs. George Kellom, care . . .	1.00
Mrs. F. B. Underhill, care . . .	2.00
Mrs. C. L. Eastman, care . . .	2.00
Mrs. T. A. Freeman, care . . .	1.50
Morey and Whitney, care . . .	2.00
W. I. Leighton, care . . .	1.75
Mrs. C. L. George, care and plants . . .	6.50
Mrs. Waldron, care . . .	1.00
Daniel Spline, foundation . . .	4.00
Mrs. J. L. Pickering, care . . .	2.00
Mrs. J. Rounsefel, care . . .	3.00
Miss M. A. Abbott, care . . .	1.00
Mrs. J. B. Sanborn, care . . .	1.50
H. E. Richardson, dressing . . .	2.00
Abba Woods, care . . .	2.00
Byron Moore, care . . .	2.00
William E. McQuillin, burial . . .	3.00
W. Bates, care . . .	2.00
Converse Smith, foundation . . .	7.00
F. E. Currier, care . . .	2.00
Don Aldrich, labor . . .	.50
Grenville Buzzell, care . . .	1.00
Hiram Gerrish, care and burial . . .	9.75

F. K. Jones,	care	.	.	.	\$3.00
J. P. Kittredge,	"	.	.	.	2.00
L. H. Carroll,	"	.	.	.	2.00
Mrs. Poor,	"	.	.	.	2.00
B. W. Couch,	"	.	.	.	2.00
H. W. Ranlet,	"	.	.	.	2.00
Mrs. W. Wright,	"	.	.	.	1.00
Mrs. A. A. Currier,	"	.	.	.	1.50
H. A. Rowell,	"	.	.	.	2.00
H. E. Conant,	"	.	.	.	1.50
L. K. Peacock,	"	.	.	.	2.00
A. C. Hardy,	"	.	.	.	2.00
H. B. Bartlett,	"	.	.	.	1.00
B. Billsborough,	"	.	.	.	1.00
G. D. B. Prescott,	"	.	.	.	1.00
Mrs. J. M. Jones,	"	.	.	.	1.50
J. Frank Hoyt,	"	.	.	.	1.00
Mrs. L. J. Trask,	"	.	.	.	1.50
Mrs. C. H. Ordway,	"	.	.	.	1.00
J. E. Hutchinson,	"	.	.	.	1.00
C. M. Brown,	"	.	.	.	1.00
Mrs. T. W. Young estate, burial	.	.	.	.	3.00
Mrs. J. S. R. Sanborn, care and plants	.	.	.	.	1.50
A. C. Ferrin, care and plants	.	.	.	.	1.50
B. C. White, plants	.	.	.	.	1.75
A. J. Souza, care	.	.	.	.	1.50
J. E. Robertson, labor and care	.	.	.	.	25.00
W. F. Thayer, care	.	.	.	.	4.75
Miss H. Dame, care	.	.	.	.	3.00
Mrs. Hannah Young estate, burial	.	.	.	.	3.00
Gordon and Edgerly, care	.	.	.	.	2.00
E. M. Howe estate, burial	.	.	.	.	3.00
H. E. Chandler, care	.	.	.	.	1.50
Mrs. Charlotte Morrill, care	.	.	.	.	2.00
Mrs. H. E. Webster, care	.	.	.	.	1.50
Dr. W. H. Allison, care	.	.	.	.	2.00
Mrs. A. S. Marshall,	care	.	.	.	2.00
Mrs. J. Neville,	"	.	.	.	1.00
J. A. Cochrane,	"	.	.	.	2.00

Mrs. S. Webster,	care	.	.	\$1.50
Mrs. C. H. Adams,	"	.	.	1.00
Samuel K. Gill,	"	.	.	2.00
Mrs. S. Wardner,	"	.	.	2.00
Mrs. J. C. Ordway, Adams estate, care	.	.	.	1.00
B. F. Virgin, care	.	.	.	1.50
Fitch and Colby, care	.	.	.	2.00
Mrs. A. W. Gale, care	.	.	.	1.50
C. L. Fellows, care	.	.	.	2.00
A. M. Follett, care	.	.	.	1.50
J. E. Rand, care	.	.	.	1.00
W. E. Green, care	.	.	.	2.00
Merrimack County, burials	.	.	.	16.00
J. B. Green, care	.	.	.	1.50
J. S. Hubbard, care	.	.	.	1.00
Miss P. Eaton, care	.	.	.	1.00
Mrs. N. G. Mead, care	.	.	.	1.50
Dr. J. H. Gallinger, care	.	.	.	2.50
Mrs. H. O. Flanders estate, burial	.	.	.	3.00
Nelson Abbott, care	.	.	.	1.00
D. C. Allen, care	.	.	.	1.50
J. H. Lamprey, care	.	.	.	1.00
George C. Roy, care	.	.	.	2.00
William P. Fiske, care	.	.	.	2.50
First Congregational Society (Merrill lot), care	.	.	.	1.00
Mrs. E. N. Shepard estate, care and burial	.	.	.	5.50
F. E. Quimby, care	.	.	.	2.00
F. E. Brown, care	.	.	.	1.50
C. W. Lynam, care	.	.	.	1.00
Mrs. R. R. Shaw, two years' care	.	.	.	4.00
Hiram A. Brown, care	.	.	.	1.50
C. E. Smith, burial	.	.	.	3.00
R. G. Smith, burial	.	.	.	3.00
H. N. Sargent, care	.	.	.	1.00
John M. Hill, two lots, care	.	.	.	5.00
C. A. Herbert, care	.	.	.	1.50
Mrs. T. H. Ford, care	.	.	.	2.50
Mrs. James Lauder, "	.	.	.	1.50
Mrs. J. M. Stewart, "	.	.	.	6.00

Amos Blanchard,	care	.	.	.	\$2.00
J. R. H. Davis,	"	.	.	.	1.50
W. G. C. Kimball,	"	.	.	.	2.00
Charles Baker,	"	.	.	.	1.50
W. Carpenter,	"	.	.	.	1.00
C. A. Lockerby,	"	.	.	.	1.50
Miss Morse,	"	.	.	.	1.50
Fred U. Lane,	"	.	.	.	1.50
Laura Roby estate,	"	.	.	.	3.00
Mrs. J. Y. Mugridge,	"	.	.	.	2.00
Mrs. E. S. Schultz,	"	.	.	.	9.00
Mrs. C. H. Jones,	"	.	.	.	1.00
Nathan Mansur,	"	.	.	.	1.00
Mrs. S. A. Staniels,	"	.	.	.	1.50
Mrs. S. Edmunds,	"	.	.	.	1.00
Mrs. J. T. Barker,	"	.	.	.	1.50
Mrs. A. J. Langley,	"	.	.	.	1.00
D. J. Rolfe,	"	.	.	.	1.00
A. A. Chesley,	"	.	.	.	2.75
R. E. Pecker lot,	"	.	.	.	2.00
Dr. Quimby,	"	.	.	.	2.00
Mary Pecker lot,	"	.	.	.	1.00
F. H. Clement, repairs	.	.	.	.	7.00
E. A. Ordway, repairs	.	.	.	.	2.00
A. S. Sprague, care	.	.	.	.	1.50
C. G. Blanchard, care	.	.	.	.	2.00
D. G. Lowell, care	.	.	.	.	1.00
G. F. Sleeper, single grave, burial	.	.	.	.	8.00
B. G. Carter, care	.	.	.	.	1.50
Sturtevant Post, G. A. R., care	.	.	.	.	5.00
S. J. Leaver,	"	.	.	.	2.00
C. P. Smith,	"	.	.	.	1.00
F. J. Young,	"	.	.	.	2.00
H. N. Sinclair,	"	.	.	.	2.00
Mrs. Abbott (Burbank lot),	"	.	.	.	1.00
C. H. Abbott,	"	.	.	.	2.00
H. A. Church,	"	.	.	.	2.00
Miss S. C. Sargent,	"	.	.	.	2.00
Collins and George,	"	.	.	.	1.50

S. S. Kimball,	care	.	.	\$2.50
Mrs. E. G. Carter,	"	.	.	1.50
D. O. Smith estate, burial	.	.	.	3.00
Mrs. J. J. Wyman, care	.	.	.	1.50
Mrs. I. W. Hammond, care	.	.	.	1.50
Rollins Young, care	.	.	.	2.00
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				\$1,330.29

Income From Trust Funds.

Robert Woodruff,	\$3.00
Mary Williams,	1.50
E. W. Upham,	4.50
Mary E. Walker,	.	.	.	.	4.50
George Whitridge,	.	.	.	.	3.00
J. C. Thorne,	.	.	.	.	3.00
Thomas Stewart,	.	.	.	.	2.00
H. Southmaid,	.	.	.	.	1.50
Mary A. Shaw,	.	.	.	.	2.00
John B. Sargent,	.	.	.	.	4.00
Jonathan Sanborn,	.	.	.	.	3.00
Moses W. Russell,	.	.	.	.	2.75
George S. Reed,	.	.	.	.	2.25
Judith A. Richardson,	.	.	.	.	3.00
E. H. Rollins,	.	.	.	.	5.00
S. L. Pixley,	.	.	.	.	1.50
W. H. Pitman,	.	.	.	.	3.00
H. E. Phipps,	.	.	.	.	1.50
S. M. K. Adams,	.	.	.	.	21.00
M. B. Allison,	.	.	.	.	1.00
A. L. S. Bailey,	.	.	.	.	3.00
E. W. Woodward,	.	.	.	.	3.00
Matilda Benson,	.	.	.	.	1.25
E. C. Bixby,	.	.	.	.	3.00
J. D. Blaisdell,	.	.	.	.	3.50
Dr. Nathaniel Bouton,	.	.	.	.	12.50
M. N. P. Buntin,	.	.	.	.	3.00
H. W. Butters,	.	.	.	.	2.75
N. F. Carter,	.	.	.	.	3.00
S. M. Chesley,	.	.	.	.	3 00

Caroline Clark,	\$2.00
Frederick Clough,	2.25
N. P. Clough,	1.00
A. L. Colburn,	1.00
Josiah Cooper,	1.50
Mary Crow,	4.00
Mrs. L. F. Edgerly,	3.25
G. P. Ela,	3.00
L. A. Farley,	3.00
Mary M. Farnum,	2.00
George G. Fogg,	4.00
Asa Fowler,	15.00
John Gear,	1.00
Glover and Osgood,	1.00
George M. Harding,	1.00
Betsey Hadley,	3.50
Mary D. Hart,	10.50
S. E. Irish,	2.00
J. and B. A. Kimball,	6.00
E. L. Knowlton,	16.75
J. L. Lincoln,	1.00
J. W. and E. J. Little,	3.00
John McCauley, . . . . .	.75
G. and E. McQuesten,	3.00
James McQuesten,	5.00
S. F. Merrill,	3.00
J. B. Merrill,	3.00
C. H. Newhall,	4.50
E. S. Nutter,	3.00
E. A. Ordway,	1.50
C. W. Paige,	4.00
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	\$226.50
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	\$3,395.48

Expenditures.

Silsby & Son, journal	\$3.37
P. C. Whittier, manure	25.00
George W. Bullock, manure	33.00
M. L. Partch,	4.65

R. P. Sanborn, posts	\$1.80
Danforth, Forrest & Morgan,	7.45
Republican Press Association,	3.00
Republican Press Association,	1.20
Trip to Forest Hills, Robertson & Andrews,	5.50
C. Barker, ashes	2.36
W. M. Colby, shrubs	2.00
M. L. Partch,	7.51
W. F. Thayer, treasurer	1,300.00
M. L. Partch, provisions	4.28
Caleb P. Little, turf	8.25
H. A. Kendall, box	3.00
E. B. Hutchinson & Co., stakes	5.50
William King, repairs on mowers	3.25
Arthur N. Day, grain	2.25
Concord Water Works,	80.00
H. A. Kendall, box	1.50
A. N. Day, grain	2.40
A. N. Day, grain	1.70
A. N. Day,	1.70
Daniel Crowley, shoeing	8.00
Silaby & Son, books	5.75
Frank J. Batchelder, printing	4.50
Thompson & Hoague, shovel	1.25
Holt Brothers,	1.95
William S. Wilson, flowers	6.00
James Hart, services	2.50
Danforth, Forrest & Morgan, lumber	2.68
Dame & Jones, services	1.00
F. H. George, watering-pot . . . . .	.90
G. J. Benedict, plants	6.25
C. H. Martin & Co., plants	12.68
C. F. Swain, grass seed	6.84
A. H. Britton & Co., tools	8.15
William S. Wilson, plants	15.20
J. E. Robertson, dressing	60.00
A. G. McAlpine & Co., labor	4.70
E. B. Hanchay, sharpening tools	1.40
J. H. Coburn, dressing	10.50

E. A. Moulton, sundries	\$4.18	
W. F. Thayer, treasurer	1,239.51	
Pay-rolls,	66.12	
F. P. Andrews, treasurer, salary	25.00	
W. F. Thayer, treasurer	389.75	
	<u> </u>	\$3,395.48

OLD NORTH CEMETERY.

Unexpended balance, 1896	\$14.14	
Regular appropriation	350.00	
Special appropriation from income of trust funds, care of lots, etc.	128.85	
Balance of income unappropriated	99.80	
	<u> </u>	\$592.79

Paid as follows :

W. F. Thayer, treasurer, pay-rolls	\$478.85	
Unexpended balance	113.94	
	<u> </u>	\$592.79

The Treasurer of the Cemetery Commission accounts for funds coming into his hands as follows :

Receipts.

Balance from 1896	\$14.14	
Mrs. Wm. Butterfield estate, burial	\$8.00	
Mrs. N. Carter, care	1.50	
Mrs. E. M. Richards, repairs	5.00	
C. A. Hardy	2.00	
Mrs. Albert Johnson, repairs	2.00	
Fred Leighton, burial and repairs	6.00	
W. C. Prescott, N. Curtis estate, repairs	18.40	
N. Curtis estate, burial	3.00	
F. A. Tenney estate, "	4.00	
Mrs. W. A. Knight, "	5.00	
Emma E. Brown, "	3.00	
Abbie King estate, "	3.00	

Joseph B. Smart estate, burial . .	\$3.00
Wm. Wadleigh, " . .	1.00
Walter Gage estate, " . .	3.00
Mrs. E. R. Walker estate, " . .	3.00
Mrs. D. G. Fuller " " . .	3.00
George Ripley, " . .	3.00
J. E. Hoyt, labor	2.25
L. B. Flanders, burial . .	3.00
Mrs. S. N. Farnsworth, " . .	3.00
Horace Paul, " . .	2.50
Calvin Smart estate, " . .	3.00
Wm. Nichols " " . .	3.00
J. C. Clough " " . .	3.00
Oliver Whidden, foundation	4.00
John H. Saben, burial	3.00
Henry Walker, repairs	5.00
Mrs. M. A. Pratt estate, burial	3.00
Josiah Minot, repairs . . . .	.75
Posts sold	2.00
Sally Lovering estate, burial	3.00
John F. Wilson, care	1.00
Joseph Stickney, "	5.00
Hopkins lot, "	1.00
Oliver Hart estate, burial	4.00
Mrs. Ira Philbrick, "	3.00
John A. Tuck, "	3.00
Geo. L. French estate, "	3.00
Ira C. Evans, repairs	2.00
J. F. Webster, care . . . .	.50
Mrs. N. Carter (Flanders lot), care	1.50
Miss Farnsworth, care . . . .	.75
Daniel Spline, foundation	3.00
Mrs. S. F. Cushing, care	2.00
Cummings Bros., posts	4.00
Dr. J. C. W. Moore estate, burial	3.00
Mrs. Farrar, care	1.00
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	\$155.15

Income from Trust Funds :

Paul Wentworth	\$16.00	
Wm. Abbott	4.00	
F. K. Blaisdell	4.00	
John F. Chaffin	1.50	
Seth Eastman	1.75	
Theodore French	4.00	
H. J. Gilbert	1.00	
W. T. Locke	4.00	
L. and D. L. Morrill	4.00	
True Osgood	3.00	
E. A. Pecker	5.50	
Hiram Richardson	11.25	
Nathan Stickney	2.50	
T. and A. B. Walker	6.00	
Abigail Sweetser	5.00	
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		\$73.50
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		\$242.79

Expenditures.

Pay-rolls	\$12.03	
Concord Water Works	10.00	
Thompson & Hoague, scythe	1.00	
C. G. Coffin & Co., grass seed	3.40	
J. W. Rankin, labor	4.00	
J. H. Coburn, dressing	3.00	
Cummings Bros.	4.00	
W. F. Thayer, treasurer	130.86	
W. F. Thayer, treasurer	74.50	
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		\$242.79

WEST CONCORD CEMETERY.

Regular appropriation	\$100.00
Special appropriation	54.30
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	\$154.30

Paid as follows :

W. F. Thayer, treasurer, pay-rolls	\$140.08	
Concord Water Works, water	6.00	
J. A. Crossman, labor	3.75	
C. H. Martin & Co., supplies	4.47	
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		\$154.30

OLD FORT CEMETERY.

Appropriation	\$300.00	
Special appropriations	184.00	
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		\$484.00

Paid as follows :

Thomas Nawn, as per contract	\$484.00	
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MILLVILLE CEMETERY.

Appropriation	\$100.00	
Paid Isaac N. Abbott, treasurer	100.00	

HORSE HILL CEMETERY.

Appropriation	\$50.00	
From sale of hearse and hearse-house	20.00	
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		\$70.00

Paid as follows :

W. F. Thayer, treasurer, pay-roll, labor	\$36.50	
C. M. & A. W. Rolfe, lumber	13.50	
R. W. Hoit, posts72	
Foote, Brown & Co., supplies	19.28	
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		\$70.00

PENACOOK SEWERAGE PRECINCT.

Unexpended balance of 1896	\$812.49
Appropriation for sinking fund	500.00
" " interest on bonds	960.00
Receipts for 1897	24.80
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	\$1,797.29

Paid as follows :

Henry Morrill, labor	\$11.55
C. H. Sanders, cash advanced on pay-rolls	89.14
C. H. Sanders, freight . . . . .	.35
" rubber boots	4.00
Perrin, Seamens & Co., hose and couplings	32.00
W. F. Thayer, treasurer, sinking fund	500.00
Interest on bonds	940.00
Foots, Brown & Co., cement	1.71
Unexpended balance	218.54
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	\$1,797.29

WEST CONCORD SEWERAGE PRECINCT.

Unexpended balance of 1896	\$1,205.01
Rent of pumps, 1896	11.00
" " 1897	7.50
Appropriation for sinking fund	500.00
" " interest on bonds	680.00
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	\$2,403.51

Paid as follows :

W. F. Thayer, treasurer, pay-roll	\$13.83
" sinking fund	500.00
Interest on bonds	700.00
Unexpended balance	1,189.68
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	\$2,403.51

EAST CONCORD SEWERAGE PRECINCT.

Unexpended balance of 1896 . . .	\$164.51	
Appropriation for sinking fund, . . .	100.00	
" " interest on bonds . . .	70.00	
" " payment of note . . .	250.00	
" " " of interest on note . . .	8.75	
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Paid as follows :

W. F. Thayer, treasurer, sinking fund, . . .	\$100.00	
Interest on bonds	70.00	
Note paid	250.00	
Interest on note	14.36	
Unexpended balance	158.90	
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LIGHTING STREETS, PENACOOK.

Appropriation,	\$1,400.00	
Paid W. H. Bell, treasurer . . .	\$1,050.00	
Alfred E. Emery, treasurers . . .	350.00	
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OPEN AIR CONCERTS.

Appropriation	\$300.00	
Paid C. H. Burgum, account order A. F. Nevers, . . .	300.00	

CITY HISTORY.

Unexpended balance	\$2,569.20	
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Paid as follows :

* F. L. Sanders, record books . . .	\$3.75	
Republican Press Association, prospec- tuses	93.00	

* Included in payments of 1896 by mistake.

Republican Press Association, letter-heads and envelopes . . .	\$35.50	
Ira C. Evans, canvass books . .	26.50	
Geo. E. Carter, canvassing . .	226.80	
Edward A. Jenks, writing " Bench and Bar"	200.00	
Frances M. Abbott, writing " Social History"	200.00	
Blanche Newhall, services . . .	196.00	
Unexpended balance	1,587.65	
		<u>\$2,569.20</u>

RECAPITULATION.

State tax	\$34,705.00
County tax	33,769.77
Interest	3,906.31
City poor	741.01
Aid to dependent soldiers and families	391.09
Fire department	20,336.95
Incidentals and land damage . .	4,915.86
Roads and bridges	36,190.87
Street sprinkling	3,538.51
Police and watch	11,840.05
Printing and stationery	2,423.95
Legal expenses	96.18
Board of health	1,330.55
Committee service	1,410.00
Schools	54,178.78
Precinct	16,389.59
Water precinct	6,000.00
Salaries	11,106.69
White Park	3,344.58
Rollins Park	983.84
Penacook Park	103.72
Parks and commons	218.73
Public Library	5,563.61
Memorial Day	345.00

Margaret Pillsbury Hospital . . .	\$2,000.00	
Engineering department . . .	2,983.97	
Blossom Hill Cemetery . . .	5,630.97	
Old North Cemetery . . .	478.85	
West Concord Cemetery . . .	154.30	
Old Fort Cemetery . . .	484.00	
Millville Cemetery . . .	100.00	
Horse Hill Cemetery . . .	70.00	
Penacook Sewerage Precinct . . .	1,578.75	
West Concord Sewerage Precinct . . .	1,213.83	
East Concord Sewerage Precinct . . .	434.36	
Lighting streets, Penacook . . .	1,400.00	
Open air concerts . . .	300.00	
City history . . .	981.55	
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		\$271,641.22

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 20.

Appropriation for payment of interest	\$60.00	
Appropriation for payment of bonds .	500.00	
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		\$560.00
Interest paid	\$60.00	
Bonds paid	500.00	
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		\$560.00

DOG LICENSES.

Received from dog licenses.	\$1,426.94	
Paid as follows :		
Geo. McC. Sanborn, sheep killed . . .	\$5.00	
H. B. Hammond, sheep killed . . .	19.00	
John B. Sanborn, sheep killed . . .	4.00	
Geo. E. Runnels, sheep killed . . .	2.50	
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		\$30.50
Balance carried to school fund . . .	1,396.44	
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		\$1,426.94

LIQUOR AGENCY.

Received from sale of liquors	\$1,975.00
Appropriation to cover deficit	289.99
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	\$2,264.99

Paid as follows :

Moses Ladd, agent, salary	\$600.00
Moses Ladd, cash paid	17.88
Concord Coal Co., coal	18.72
Concord Light and Power Co., gas	5.55
U. S. License	25.00
Joseph Stickney, rent	283.00
Adams, Taylor & Co., liquors	1,058.60
D. T. Mills & Co., alcohol	246.64
Fisher & Co., liquors	9.60
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	\$2,264.99

STONE QUARRIES.

G. M. Davis, rent of quarries	\$25.00
Crowley & Quinn, rent of quarries	150.00
Geo. W. Waters, rent of land	25.00
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	\$200.00

DEPARTMENT REPORTS.

CITY OF CONCORD, N. H.

WATER DEPARTMENT.

1897.

BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS.

ALBERT B. WOODWORTH, Mayor, *ex officio*.

SOLON A. CARTER.....	to March 31, 1901.
FRANK D. ABBOT.....	to March 31, 1901.
JOHN WHITAKER.....	to March 31, 1900.
EBENEZER B. HUTCHINSON.....	to March 31, 1900.
WILLIAM M. MASON.....	to March 31, 1899.
EDSON J. HILL.....	to March 31, 1899.
WILLIAM P. FISKE.....	to March 31, 1898.
WILLIAM E. HOOD.....	to March 31, 1898.

FRANK D. ABBOT, Clerk.

OFFICERS.

WILLIAM P. FISKE, President.

V. C. HASTINGS, Superintendent.

ALICE G. COCHRAN, Clerk at Water Office.

HENRY A. ROWELL, Engineer at Pumping Station.

CONCORD WATER BOARD.

Date of election and length of service of members.

Abraham G. Jones, <i>ex officio</i>	1872—three months.
John M. Hill	1872—1878.
Benjamin A. Kimball	1872—1878.
Josiah Minot*	1872. Resigned Jan. 10, 1874.
David A. Warde*	1872—1874.
Edward L. Knowlton*	1872. Resigned Sept. 25, 1875.
Benjamin S. Warren*	1872—1873.
John Kimball, <i>ex officio</i>	1872—1876.
John Abbott*	1873—1876.
John S. Russ*	1874—1877.
Abel B. Holt*	1874—1877.
Samuel S. Kimball	1875. Resigned July 1, 1891.
George A. Pillsbury, <i>ex officio</i>	1876—1878.
Luther P. Durgin	1876—1885.
John Kimball	1877. Resigned July 1, 1891.
William M. Chase	1877. Resigned July 1, 1891.
Horace A. Brown, <i>ex officio</i>	1878—1880.
James L. Mason	1878—1893.
James R. Hill*	1878. Died 1884.
Geo. A. Cummings, <i>ex officio</i>	1880—1883.
Edgar H. Woodman, <i>ex officio</i> *	1883—1887.
Joseph H. Abbot*	1884—1893.
George A. Young	1885—1894.
John E. Robertson, <i>ex officio</i>	1887—1889.
Stillman Humphrey, <i>ex officio</i> *	1889—1891.
Henry W. Clapp, <i>ex officio</i> *	1891—1893.
Willis D. Thompson	1891—1895.
William P. Fiske	1891. Now in office.
James H. Chase*	1891. Died 1893.
John Whitaker	1892. Now in office.

* Deceased.

Henry E. Conant . . .	1892. Resigned Jan. 8, 1895.
Parsons B. Cogswell, <i>ex officio</i> * . . .	1893-1895.
Solon A. Carter . . .	1893. Now in office.
Frank D. Abbot . . .	1893. Now in office.
William M. Mason . . .	1893. Now in office.
William E. Hood . . .	1894. Now in office.
Ebenezer B. Hutchinson . . .	1895. Now in office.
Edson J. Hill . . .	1895. Now in office.

PRESIDENTS OF THE BOARD.

Josiah Minot* . . .	1872. Resigned Jan. 10, 1894.
Benjamin A. Kimball . . .	1874-1875.
Edward L. Knowlton* . . .	1875. Resigned Sept. 25, 1875
John Kimball . . .	1875-1876.
Benjamin A. Kimball . . .	1876-1878.
John Kimball . . .	1878. Resigned July 1, 1891.
William P. Fiske . . .	1891. Now in office.

* Deceased.

SUMMARY STATISTICS.

CONCORD, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WATER-WORKS.

Population of the city by census of 1890..... 17,004

Population of that portion of the city included within
the water precinct, estimated..... 15,000

Date of construction, 1872; additions since.

Works are owned by the city.

Source of supply, Penacook lake, a natural body of water containing 265 acres, situated about three miles and a half from the state house, and about 125 feet higher than Main street in front of the state house.

Mode of supply, gravity and pumping to reservoir.

FINANCIAL.

MAINTENANCE.

Receipts.	Expenditures.
From consumers (mostly for domestic uses) . . \$55,202.25	For management and re- pairs \$3,419.40
From rents 90.00	For new distribution pipes 9,482.01
From pipe sold, etc. . . . 61.54	For new service pipes . 967.19
	For maintenance of pump- ing station 2,163.54
	For inspection 600.00
	For reservoir grounds . 68.00
	For meter account . . 1,979.08
	For work at and near the outlet of Penacook lake 2,637.87
	For incidentals 511.19
	For abatements 197.37
	<u>\$22,025.65</u>
	Amount required to pay interest on bonded in- debtedness 27,025.00
	Balance 6,303.14
<u>\$55,353.79</u>	<u>\$55,353.79</u>

CONSTRUCTION.

Cost of land damages, flowage, and water rights :	
Paid B. F. & D. Holden, for water rights	\$60,000.00
Concord Manufacturing Co., for water rights	83,000.00
W. P. Cooledge, for mill privilege and land	5,500.00
Humphrey & Farnum, for kit-shop privilege	5,000.00
Flowage rights around Penacook lake	4,375.61
W. P. Cooledge, Hutchins house and lot	2,250.00
Mary C. Rowell, for land.....	1,500.00
Moses H. Bradley, "	5,000.00
Joseph B. Walker, "	2,214.00
John G. Hook, "	370.00
A. S. Ranney, "	1,350.00
Alfred Roberts, "	1,275.00
Charles E. Ballard, "	2,500.00
Mary G. Carter, "	1,250.00
Elizabeth Widmer, "	1,564.50
A. L. Proctor, "	450.00
Robert Crowley, "	3,000.00
Miles Hodgdon, "	2,200.00
Coffin & Little, "	800.00
O. F. Richardson, "	100.00
C. H. Amsden, water and flowage rights	5,000.00
Cost of property and rights of Torrent Aqueduct Association	20,000.00
dam, gate-house, and appurtenances	30,756.17
conduit and gate-houses	29,484.05

Cost of mains (low service main and pump main from the dam to Penacook street, force main from the pump to the reservoir, fire-main through North and South Main and Turnpike streets, and supply main from near the dam to Stark street)	\$154,960.92
distribution pipe	280,431.38
service pipe	41,489.95
reservoir	42,460.09
pumping station, shop, stable, and storehouse	22,000.00
pumping machinery	10,215.00
engineering and superintendence	14,913.12
incidentals	6,531.19
Cost of the works, January 1, 1898, ... —————	\$841,940.98

Bonds of the city have been issued to pay a part of said cost as follows:

When due.	Rate.	Amount.
Nov. 1, 1898,	4,	\$10,000.00
Nov. 1, 1899,	4,	10,000.00
Nov. 1, 1900,	3½,	15,000.00
Jan. 1, 1901,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1902,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1903,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1904,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1905,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1906,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1907,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1908,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1909,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1910,	4,	5,000.00
Jan. 1, 1911,	4,	5,000.00
Oct. 1, 1912,	4,	45,000.00

When due.	Rate.	Amount.
Jan. 1, 1913,	4,	\$10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1914,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1915,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1916,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1917,	4,	10,000 00
Jan. 1, 1918,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1919,	4,	10,000.00
Mar. 1, 1922,	3 $\frac{1}{2}$,	20,000.00
Jan. 1, 1923,	4,	400,000.00
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		\$670,000.00

REPORT OF WATER COMMISSIONERS.

To the City Council:

The Commissioners present herewith their annual report and would respectfully call your attention to the report of the Superintendent, which is made a part of this report.

In many ways the last year marks one of the most interesting years in the history of the water works. Never before has the water stood as high as during the year. In June we were visited by very heavy rains, and especially the night of the 9th, which was almost unprecedented, showing a fall of nearly six inches of water during twenty-four hours. This necessarily brought the lake to a very high point, and much solicitude was manifested as to the ability of controlling the water. However, the difficulty was successfully coped with. This experience led to an examination of the natural water-ways from the lake, and resulted in the expansion of culverts and passage-ways, thus enabling a free flow of water to the river.

Another matter was carefully looked into, the raising of the height of the different points at the outlet of the lake by a permanent core wall, which will demonstrate the ability to hold back a larger amount of water than we have yet had to deal with.

The long-anticipated beginning of a new pipe to the pond has resulted in the laying of 1,780 feet of 20-inch pipe, and it is the policy of the Board to still continue this from year to year.

As will be seen from the Superintendent's report, various extensions of both the high and low service, and the re-laying of pipe in certain streets where the old pipe had proved not only insufficient, but unsatisfactory, has aggregated a mile and three quarters, and the time will not be far distant before other connecting lines at the South end will be needed to meet the growth of that part of the city.

The high service system has proved its efficiency during the

past year and the pumping station and reservoir we find to be in excellent condition.

Satisfactory analyses of the water have been made during the past year, still showing the excellent quality. The Commissioners have considered the matter of moving the cottage at the lake and doing away with all the barns and outhouses, thus removing any possibility of contamination from that source. It will be the policy of the Board to prevent any possible pollution of the water from sources surrounding the lake.

Bonds maturing November 1st, 1897, to the amount of \$10,000, were paid from the income of the works.

We bear testimony to the efficient work of the Superintendent and his assistants in the unusual and trying periods during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

SOLON A. CARTER,
FRANK D. ABBOT,
JOHN WHITAKER,
EBENEZER B. HUTCHINSON,
WILLIAM M. MASON,
EDSON J. HILL,
WILLIAM P. FISKE,
WILLIAM E. HOOD,
ALBERT B. WOODWORTH, *ex officio*.
Water Commissioners.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT.

To the Board of Water Commissioners:

I herewith present to you the twenty-sixth annual report of the operations of this department, showing the receipts, expenditures, and abatements, together with a statement of extensions and improvements made during the year ending December 31, 1897.

RECEIPTS.

For water from consumers by fixed rates	\$34,773.17	
water from consumers by meter rates	20,178.70	
From delinquents	81.60	
For water used for building purposes..	166.78	
rents	90.00	
shutting off and turning on water..	2.00	
pipe and stock sold, etc	61.54	
		\$55,353.79
Deduct abatements		197.37
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Total receipts for 1897		\$55,156.42

EXPENDITURES.

GENERAL EXPENSES.

Paid V. C. Hastings, salary as superintendent,	\$1,800.00
Pay-rolls, salaries, and labor,	5,902.12
Nath'l White, Jr., rent of office....	300.00
S. G. Sanborn, rent of shop in Penacook	24.00
Ira C. Evans, stamped envelopes and printing	116.30
Republican Press Assn., printing.	6.90

Stockbridge & Sanders, books, etc.	2.75
F. L. Sanders, " "	5.10
Silsby & Son, stationery, etc.	11.44
Concord Land & Water Power Co., electric lights.	22.60
Concord Light & Power Co., gas.	6.90
New England Telephone & Tele- graph Co., telephones.	131.68
J. M. Stewart & Sons Co., supplies	2.45
Stevens & Duncklee, " "	5.55
Humphrey-Dodge Co., hardware.	51.02
Thompson & Hoague, " "	66.63
Batchelder & Co., oil, etc.	13.48
Arthur N. Day, grain and straw. . .	53.79
Frank Coffin & Co., straw.	2.05
A. Perley Fitch & Co., lead, oil, etc.	3.70
C. H. Martin & Co., " "	2.04
H. O. Marsh & Co., wood.	9.40
C. H. Stevens & Co., "	1.50
Woodworth & Co., cement.	232.45
Dickerman & Co., "	50.15
John T. Fiske & Co., dynamite, etc.	4.50
Fitz, Dana & Co., sheet-iron.	9.51
Sewall & Day Cordage Co., manila rope.	6.51
M. J. Drummond, cast-iron pipe. .	2,445.54
R. D. Wood & Co., " "	
and hydrants.	2,083.66
Warren Foundry & Machine Co., cast-iron pipe.	487.80
Builders Iron Foundry, castings.	24.17
Ford & Kimball, "	23.99
Concord Foundry Co., "	3.85
Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co., gates. . . .	359.92
Hays Mfg. Co., service-boxes. . . .	67.50
Chadwick Lead Works, pig lead and lead pipe.	161.29
John Walker, pig lead.	5.76

J. H. Cunningham Co., pipe and fittings	82.97
E. H. Randall, fittings.....	1.00
Walworth Mfg. Co., tools and fittings	35.33
Perrin, Seamans & Co., tools and wire rope	20.02
Waldo Bros., pipe cutter.....	30.00
Smith & Anthony, repair bands..	4.80
L. M. Ham & Co., steel beams....	53.37
Union Water Meter Co., meters..	833.50
National Meter Co., " ..	579.20
Henry R. Worthington, " ..	166.43
T. M. Harrison & Co., use of derrick	5.00
John Swenson, granite.....	158.00
New England Granite Works, grout	48.00
Abbot-Downing Co., repairs.....	35.00
Huntley & Tenney, "	27.00
J. D. Johnson & Son, "	19.75
Chandler Eastman & Sons, repairs	7.50
Chapman Valve Mfg. Co., " ..	3.82
E. B. Hanchay, smith-work.....	79.17
J. M. Crossman, "	59.77
Ross W. Cate, "	21.40
Rowell & Plummer, mason-work.	69.75
Holt Bros. Mfg. Co., sawing lumber	2.34
George Abbott, Jr., painting.....	31.93
B. Bilborough, " ...	17.06
N. A. Dunklee, livery.....	5.00
O. F. Richardson & Son, team-work and labor.....	288.48
Geo. L. Theobald, team-work....	202.85
Cavis G. Brown, "	70.80
C. P. Little, "	38.40

C. R. Farnum, team work.....	22.00
C. H. Farnum, ".....	16.00
Simeon Partridge, ".....	12.00
J. H. Rowell & Co., concreting...	447.34
E. S. Barrett, bags.....	34.00
Stratton & Co., ".....	11.24
Smith & Savage, ".....	2.82
D. W. Wilcox, ".....	2.50
J. J. T. Searles, ".....	1.90
H. W. Brickett, ".....	.90
Lyman Sawyer, damages at time of high water.....	15.00
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight	991.48
Engineering News.....	5.00
Morrill & Danforth, insurance...	14.25
Eastman & Merrill, "...	7.50
E. R. Angell, water analyses.....	9.00
V. C. Hastings, cash paid out....	97.75
incidentals.....	323.11
town of Webster, taxes.....	145.31
	<hr/> \$19,664.74

PUMPING STATION EXPENSES.

Paid pay-rolls, engineer and fireman..	\$1,421.65
C. H. Stevens & Co., coal.....	419.30
labor, unloading coal.....	15.75
H. O. Marsh & Co., coal.....	4.00
E. A. Boutwell & Son, wood.....	77.50
A. W. Harris & Co., oil.....	32.25
Thompson & Hoague, packing and hardware.....	4.65
Humphrey-Dodge Co., packing and hardware.....	4.62
R. F. Clifford & Co., packing.....	15.19
A. P. Fitch & Co., supplies.....	4.04
C. H. Martin & Co., ".....	3.00
Locke Regulator Co., valve.....	1.55
Walworth Mfg. Co., ".....	5.76

Henry R. Worthington, valve springs	5.56	
The Fairbanks Co., repairing valve	3.00	
E. H. Randall & Co., supplies....	3.57	
Concord Foundry Co., castings..	1.50	
Putnam Machine Co., combination chuck	17.00	
Geo. Abbott, Jr., painting.....	4.70	
Rowell & Plummer, mason-work.	7.00	
J. H. Rowell & Co., repairing con- crete	2.00	
Concord Light & Power Co., gas.	9.30	
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight	.65	
Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Co., insurance	100.00	
		<hr/> \$2,163.54

Total expenditures for 1897.....\$21,828.28

The expenses are divided as follows:

GENERAL EXPENSES.

For management and repairs.....	\$3,419.40	
new service pipes.....	967.19	
new distribution pipes.....	9,482.01	
inspection	600.00	
reservoir grounds	68.00	
meter account.....	1,979.08	
work at and near the outlet of Penacook Lake	2,637.87	
incidentals	511.19	
		<hr/> \$19,664.74

PUMPING STATION EXPENSES.

For salaries, engineer and fireman....	\$1,421.65	
fuel used	516.55	
oil, packing and other supplies....	225.34	
		<hr/> \$2,163.54

EXTENSIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS.

Main and distribution pipes have been laid and hydrants set during the year as follows:

- In North State street,
north from near the pumping station to a little north of the cemetery gate, 1,769 feet 20-inch pipe.
- In North State street,
to make connection at the pumping station, 36 feet 18-inch pipe.
- In North State street,
on connection between the mains at cemetery gate, 40 feet 14-inch pipe.
- In Turnpike street,
south from near West street to junction South State street, 1,026 feet 14-inch pipe and 2 hydrants.
- In Turnpike street,
south from junction of South State street to Langdon street, 1,193 feet 12-inch pipe and 1 hydrant.
- In Langdon street,
east from Turnpike street, 360 feet 10-inch pipe.
- In Pleasant street,
west from Spring street to Pine street, 1,230 feet 10-inch pipe and 2 hydrants.
- In Merrimack street,
to make connection with Pleasant street pipe, 6 feet 6-inch pipe.
- In High street,
north from Valley street to Chestnut street, 982 feet 6-inch pipe.
- In Penacook street,
east from near Pettingill's Crossing, 933 feet 6-inch pipe.
- In Rockingham street,
east from South street, 314 feet 6-inch pipe.
- In Ridge Road,
extended north, 307 feet 6-inch pipe.

In Broadway,
extended south, 154 feet 6-inch pipe.

In Odd Fellows avenue,
south from Warren street, 201 feet 4-inch pipe.

In Centre street at Ridge Road,
1 hydrant.

On hydrant branches,
140 feet 6-inch pipe.

Also 308 feet 1-inch and 74 feet 3-4-inch pipe.

Main and distribution pipes have been discontinued during the year, as follows:

In North State street,
north from near the pumping station to a little north of the cemetery gate, 1,789 feet 14-inch cement-lined pipe.

In Pleasant street,
west from Rumford street to Pine street, 900 feet 6-inch cement-lined pipe.

In High street,
south from Chestnut street, 502 feet 6-inch cement-lined pipe.

In Penacook street,
east from near Pettingill's Crossing, 773 feet 6-inch and 160 feet 4-inch cement-lined pipe.

In Rumford street,
south from School street to Pleasant street, 1,203 feet 4-inch cement-lined pipe.

On hydrant branches,
72 feet 6-inch cement-lined pipe.

Also 306 feet 1-inch pipe.

Summary of the Foregoing.**NEW PIPES, HYDRANTS, AND STOP-GATES.**

<i>Pipes.</i>	<i>Hydrants.</i>	<i>Stop-Gates.</i>
1-in., 382 feet.	Pleasant street, 2	4-in., 2
4-in., 201 "	Turnpike street, 3	6-in., 10
6-in., 2,836 "	Centre street, 1	10-in., 1
10-in., 1,590 "		14-in., 2
12-in., 1,193 "		20-in., 1
14-in., 1,066 "		
18-in., 36 "		
20-in., 1,769 "		
<hr/> 9,073 feet,	<hr/>	<hr/>
equal to 1.71 miles.	6	16

PIPES AND STOP-GATES DISCONTINUED.

<i>Pipes.</i>	<i>Stop-Gates.</i>
1-in., 306 feet.	4-in., 2
4-in., 1,363 "	6-in., 1
6-in., 2,247 "	
14-in., 1,789 "	
<hr/> 5,705 feet,	<hr/>
equal to 1.08 miles.	3

Total length of main and distribution pipes now in use, 303,050 feet, equal to 57.39 miles.

Total number of hydrants now in use, 252.

Total number of gates now in use, 701.

SERVICE-PIPE.

There have been laid during the year and connected with the main pipes, 58 service pipes, consisting of 58 3-4-inch, 1,389 feet in length.

Number discontinued during the year, 1; whole number in use at the present time, 3,173; total length of service pipes, 74,520 feet or 14.11 miles.

All the water rents for the year have been collected; one supply was shut off to enforce the payment, which was soon made with the fine.

We have set 132 meters during the year; 2 have been taken out, making the total number now in use, 632.

The following table shows the height of water in Penacook Lake on the first day of each month:

January . . .	180.35	July . . .	184.90
February . . .	180.40	August . . .	185.00
March . . .	180.70	September . . .	184.40
April . . .	182.50	October . . .	184.10
May . . .	184.50	November . . .	183.65
June . . .	185.25	December . . .	184.20

The lowest point reached was January 13, being 180.20; the highest was June 10, 186.25; mean height, 183.33, which was 4.37 feet higher than the mean height for the year 1896.

At its highest record, the water stood 11.94 feet above the lowest record of 1896, and 5.15 feet above the highest point of that year; and comparing this highest record of June 10, with all previous records of the height of water, it stood 18.20 feet higher than the lowest point ever reached, and 1.65 feet higher than the highest point ever reached, since 1872.

The water has been running over the overflow one hundred and seven days during the year. The continued high water prevented us from undertaking any extended repairs and improvements around the outlet until quite late in the season. However, nearly all the work was completed which you proposed in this direction.

A core-wall two feet thick and varying from one to four feet in depth, was built from the north line of the Hopkinton road to the overflow, a distance of 152 feet; also commencing at the overflow, passing around the rear of the cottage and buildings, into the road and across the dam, a distance of 670 feet. This now makes the top of the core-wall on a level with the top of the stone work at each end of the overflow, and 28 inches above the overflow.

A water-way was constructed from the overflow to the culvert under the road, about 180 feet in length. At the overflow, it is 40 feet wide, the entire width of the overflow, and then it narrows down to 25 feet; it has a concave bottom, concreted, and curbing rising 10 inches above the concrete, making the depth 22 inches from the top of the curbing to the centre of the channel. In the construction, the hard pan was removed three or four feet in depth, the entire length, and replaced by 18 inches of sand, to protect the concrete from frost. The earth thus excavated was used to raise the road leading around the lake, which is now of such height that probably the water will never flow over it again.

A new culvert was built to replace the one destroyed by high water in June; it is 7 by 12 feet and 25 feet long; the stone work was done by the day by M.H. Johnson, and like all work done by Mr. Johnson, is a fine piece of masonry, thoroughly constructed. The brick arch covering it was not completed, owing to the lateness of the season. The present cost of the culvert is \$671.95.

From the culvert, a water-way was cut leading down through the woods to near the city culvert at Quaker street, thus completing a clear channel from the overflow through the water-works land, and I believe that the present arrangement for carrying for high water is equal to any probable emergency. When the culvert is finished, this will complete the work which you directed to be done this season, with the exception of the grading of the road from the cottage to the Hopkinton road.

The most serious break of the year was on the main line near M. H. Farnum's; the culvert at this place was inadequate to care for the large amount of water occasioned by a heavy rain on July 14, and the water washed out the road, undermining and breaking one of the main pipes. We re-laid the cement-lined pipe with cast-iron, and also repaired the road, over thirty loads of grade being required to fill the washout.

We commenced this year an important work in the beginning of a new main to replace the original 14-inch cement-lined pipe, laid in 1872. A 20-inch pipe was laid from the pumping sta-

tion to a little north of the cemetery gate; and I would urgently recommend that this new main be continued from year to year as circumstances will allow, until the old 14-inch pipe may be discarded.

I would also recommend that Monroe street be re-laid with 6-inch cast-iron pipe in place of 4-inch cement-lined, as we have had a number of leaks on that street from the old pipe; also that the Broadway pipe be extended from the north gate of Rollins Park to McKinley street, and through McKinley street to Turnpike street.

In January last, John St. Lawrence, foreman of the street work for nearly three years, died very suddenly. He had worked for the department about six years, and his faithfulness and increasing efficiency made him a valuable and trustworthy employee.

Respectfully submitted,

V. C. HASTINGS, Superintendent.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

W. F. Thayer, Treasurer,

In account with Concord Water-Works.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand January 1, 1897.....	\$14,928.69	
Income of water-works.....	55,156.42	
	\$70,085.11	

EXPENDITURES.

Interest on water-works bonds.....	\$27,064.00	
Bonds	10,000.00	
Maintenance and extension	21,828.28	
Balance on hand January 1, 1898.....	11,192.83	
	\$70,085.11	

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

I have examined the foregoing accounts of the Superintendent of the Water-Works and City Treasurer and find them to be correct.

JAMES O. LYFORD,
City Auditor.

SANITARY ANALYSIS OF WATER.

SAMPLE FROM OVER INTAKE, PENACOOK LAKE.

Water is a mineral substance, composed of two elements. Hydrogen forms one ninth of its weight, and oxygen, eight ninths. This is water chemically pure, or pure water. As found in nature, it always contains other substances. Water sanitarly pure need not be chemically pure. Water sanitarly impure, designated as polluted, or contaminated, contains substances or organisms injurious to health; animal matter, vegetable material, disease germs, poisonous metals, as lead, zinc, copper, manganese, etc.

The figures in the analysis represent parts per 100,000. To convert into parts per million, multiply by 10; into parts per United States gallon, by 0.583722; into parts per English gallon, by 0.7.

ODOR.—Slight.

COLOR.—Slight yellowish tint.

TRANSPARENCY.—Clear.

Pure water is odorless, colorless, clear, and tasteless. Water sanitarly pure may have one or all of these properties. Polluted water may be free from some or all of them.

BEHAVIOR DURING EVAPORATION.—Some foamy.

APPEARANCE OF RESIDUE.—Little yellowish; some circles.

Water containing vegetable juices is a thin syrup. Such water foams during evaporation. Circles and irregular figures are marked on the dish where the last bubbles break in drying away. Animal matter seldom causes water to behave in this manner.

TOTAL SOLIDS.—8.4.

The amount of solids in water, sanitarly pure, varies greatly. Good well water in this state seldom contains more than 15 parts. Good pond water contains less than half of this quantity.

IGNITION OF RESIDUE.—It blackens.

The residue blackens in proportion to the amount of organic carbon present, provided there is no excess of nitrates. Nitrates are present excessively more often in animal polluted waters; hence the residue of such waters blackens less than that of vegetable contaminated waters, both because animal matter contains less carbon as a rule, and because the nitrates supply oxygen to consume it quickly. Vegetable carbon often blackens intensely and the blackening persists.

LOSS ON IGNITION OF RESIDUE.—1.5.

This consists of the combustible and volatile portion of the organic matter, and volatile mineral substances,—carbonic acid, nitric acid, water of crystallization, zinc, and other volatile metals. The proportion of mineral solids is larger in well water than in pond water, because well water settling through the earth has come in contact with more soluble minerals. On the other hand, pond water contains more organic solids, because the soluble organic matter received from the surface of the ground has not been removed by the filtering action of earthy strata. It is seldom that the character and quantity of natural, mineral solids condemn a water. Vegetable matter is less harmful than animal matter. Both are more harmful in well water than in pond water, because light and sunshine tend to destroy deadly germs.

HARDNESS.—1.5.

ALKALINITY.—1.0.

The figures are given in terms of carbonate of lime, *i. e.*, so many parts of carbonate of lime would give the same figures. Hardness and alkalinity give considerable information about the mineral constitution of water and often

concerning its sanitary condition. Hardness is due chiefly to the salts of lime and magnesia, most often, their carbonates and sulphates. Alkalinity is caused only by their carbonates, or by the carbonates of potash, soda, ammonia, or some other alkali. Water hard from the salts of lime and magnesia, other than their carbonates, shows no alkalinity, unless the substances last named above are present. The carbonates of lime, or magnesia give nearly the same degree of hardness and alkalinity, lime especially. Sewage increases the alkalinity which then becomes an indication of pollution.

FREE CARBONIC ACID.—1.98.

COMBINED AND BICARBONATE CARBONIC ACID.—.88.

As the largest part of organic matter is carbon, so the largest product of decay is carbonic acid. Natural waters are weak solutions of carbonic acid. Through its agency the carbonates of lime, magnesia, iron, lead, and zinc, are dissolved and kept in solution in water. Expel the carbonic acid by boiling and these carbonates precipitate, rendering the water turbid and forming a scale on the kettle. Water which contains much decaying organic matter, contains much carbonic acid; hence polluted water attacks lead pipe more freely than pure water. Combined carbonic acid is that which is united with a metallic base, forming a carbonate; bicarbonate carbonic acid holds the carbonate in solution; the free carbonic acid is that which is simply dissolved in water.

FREE AMMONIA.—0.0024.

ALBUMINOID AMMONIA.—0.014.

Ammonia results from the decomposition of organic matter; the free, is that which the natural process of decay has produced, and points to what extent decay has been going on in the water; the albuminoid, results from the artificial decomposition of organic matter during analysis and points to the quantity of organic matter actually present. In good well water the albuminoid ammonia should not exceed 0.008 part, and in good pond water 0.015 part. In neither should the free ammonia exceed 0.005 part.

CHLORINE.—0.2.

Chlorine is a constituent of common salt. Sewage is rich in salt, hence the value of chlorine as an indication of pollution. Good water should not contain more than 0.5 part of it, unless the locality is near the sea coast, or is naturally rich in salt.

NITRIC ACID.—Trace.

This is a constituent of saltpetre which is produced by the fermentation of manures and sewage. Good well water should not contain more than 0.5 part of it, and pond water not more than 0.02. Excess of chlorine, or nitric acid in water always indicates either actual contamination, or dangerous proximity to sources of filth. In this case, the water contains filtered sewage. Nitric acid often results from the oxidation of ammonia, or vegetable matter. If the quantity of chlorine is normal while the nitric acid is excessive, the water is probably contaminated with vegetable matter, unless other results deny it.

NITROUS ACID.—None.

This is a lower oxide of nitrogen than nitric acid. It is a transition product between ammonia, or organic matter, and nitric acid. Its presence shows that the source of pollution is so near that time enough has not elapsed for the complete oxidation of its nitrogen in its progress toward the water supply. Good water should contain none of it, or but a mere trace.

OXYGEN CONSUMED IN OXIDATION.—0.142.

Good well water should require less than 0.1 part of oxygen, and good pond water less than 0.2 for the oxidation of its dissolved organic matter. In no case should it exceed 0.4. Some bad waters may require less than 0.05 part. Vegetable material, comparatively richer in carbon than animal substances, requires more oxygen for oxidation; while animal substances, being richer in nitrogen, yield more ammonia and other nitrogen compounds.

POISONOUS METALS.—None.

Water should not contain more than 0.08 part of lead, or copper, or more than 0.05 part zinc.

IRON.—Trace.

Good water ought not to contain more than 0.1 part iron.

SEDIMENT.—Very little.

Good water should deposit no sediment, or scarcely any.

MICROSCOPIC EXAMINATION AND BIOLOGICAL CHARACTER OF SEDIMENT.—Diatoms and algae.

NUMBER OF BACTERIA PER CUBIC CENTIMETER GROWING AT BLOOD TEMPERATURE IN ALKALINE AGAR MEDIUM.—2.

NUMBER OF BACTERIA PER CUBIC CENTIMETER GROWING AT BLOOD TEMPERATURE IN AGAR MEDIUM CONTAINING PARIETTI'S SOLUTION.—None.

Disease germs grow at the temperature of the body. Many harmless bacteria also flourish at this temperature. If a sample of water contains none which grow at this temperature, disease germs are evidently absent. The disease germ more usually found in waters of this latitude is the typhoid bacillus. The bacillus coli communis, whose original habitat is in the intestines, though not strictly a disease germ, is preëminently the sewage bacterium, and consequently all waters in which it is found should be condemned. The presence of any other sewage bacterium should also condemn a water for drinking purposes. The typhoid bacillus, the coli communis, and a few others will grow in agar medium, containing Parietti's solution, but to distinguish and identify them, special cultures and examinations must be made. Bacteria multiply very rapidly after water is taken from its source and raised to summer temperature. Since the kind of bacteria is more important than their number, the delay necessarily caused by transportation of the sample, if not too long, is favorable instead of objectionable, because a very few disease germs in a large quantity of water might escape discovery, but detection of them would be much more certain after their multiplication.

DISEASE GERMS.—None.

This is good water.

EDMUND R. ANGELL.

August 18, 1897.

REPORT OF ENGINEER OF PUMPING STATION.

Pumping Station, Concord Water-Works.

V. C. Hastings, Superintendent:

Sir,—I would report that the pumping machinery at the pumping station is in good working condition.

Following will be found a statement of the coal and supplies used at the pumping station during the year, with a table showing the work for each month:

STATEMENT.

101 tons, 1,366 lbs. Pocahontas' coal.
45 cords of wood.
43 gallons of oil.
27 pounds of waste.

ENGINE RECORD.

Date.	Pumping time. h. m.	Gallons water pumped.	Daily average pumped.	Total coal burned.	Daily average coal burned.	*Gallons pumped per pound of coal.
January.....	111:30	9,557,125	308,294	21,228	684	450
February.....	111:30	8,994,685	321,238	20,332	729	443
March.....	116:00	9,688,205	312,361	20,538	662	471
April.....	97:45	8,011,815	287,060	17,378	579	461
May.....	97:00	8,308,335	268,010	17,937	578	468
June.....	99:45	8,665,010	288,500	18,567	466	467
July.....	111:25	9,674,340	312,091	19,691	635	491
August.....	88:30	7,776,510	250,885	16,187	522	480
September.....	106:15	9,125,760	304,192	18,498	616	493
October.....	107:45	9,345,665	301,473	19,022	613	491
November.....	96:45	8,546,405	284,880	17,392	579	491
December.....	121:10	10,206,280	329,234	20,836	672	489
Total.....	1,267:10	107,885,635	296,577	227,606	623	474
Daily average..	3:28	296,577	.....	623	.....	.....

*Amount of coal consumed includes that used for heating the building and banking fires.

Amount of coal consumed per thousand gallons pumped, 2.10 pounds.

HENRY A. ROWELL,
Engineer.

APPENDIX.

A.

Receipts for each Year since the Completion of the Works.

For the year ending January 31, 1874.....	\$4,431.10
For fifteen months ending April 1, 1875.....	17,535.00
For the year ending April 1, 1876.....	16,921.24
“ “ 1877.....	19,001.07
“ “ 1878.....	20,763.03
“ “ 1879.....	21,869.86
“ “ 1880.....	22,451.53
“ “ 1881.....	26,744.58
For nine months ending December 31, 1881.....	25,534.01
For the year “ “ 1882.....	27,243.06
“ “ “ 1883.....	28,255.48
“ “ “ 1884.....	28,915.65
“ “ “ 1885.....	30,222.54
“ “ “ 1886.....	30,862.64
“ “ “ 1887.....	34,047.52
“ “ “ 1888.....	38,441.32
“ “ “ 1889.....	40,237.53
“ “ “ 1890.....	42,133.41
“ “ “ 1891.....	46,075.16
“ “ “ 1892.....	48,351.52
“ “ “ 1893.....	52,299.66
“ “ “ 1894.....	53,230.10
“ “ “ 1895.....	55,343.19
“ “ “ 1896.....	56,557.81
“ “ “ 1897.....	56,156.42
Total receipts for 25 years.....	<u>\$843,624.43</u>

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Mean Height of the Water Each Year.

1873	.	.	.	175.86	1886	.	.	.	178.10
1874	.	.	.	179.50	1887	.	.	.	179.04
1875	.	.	.	180.00	1888	.	.	.	181.96
1876	.	.	.	180.28	1889	.	.	.	180.91
1877	.	.	.	176.46	1890	.	.	.	181.90
1878	.	.	.	179.50	1891	.	.	.	180.00
1879	.	.	.	179.74	1892	.	.	.	174.32
1880	.	.	.	175.30	1893	.	.	.	173.38
1881	.	.	.	174.70	1894	.	.	.	172.81
1882	.	.	.	179.15	1895	.	.	.	171.15
1883	.	.	.	176.40	1896	.	.	.	178.96
1884	.	.	.	178.18	1897	.	.	.	183.33
1885	.	.	.	176.80					

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SCHEDULE OF IRON AND CEMENT-LINED PIPE AND GATES.—*Concluded.*

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FIRE-HYDRANTS.

STREETS.	LOCATIONS.	Number.	Total.
North Main.	South-west corner North Main and Penacook.....	1	
"	East side North Main, near J. B. Walker's.....	1	
"	Junction North Main and Fiske.....	1	
"	East side North Main, near Larkin's store.....	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and Franklin.....	1	
"	East side North Main, opposite Pearl.....	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and Washington.....	1	
"	West side North Main, opposite Historical Society rooms.....	1	
"	East side North Main, opposite Chapel.....	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and Court.....	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and Pitman.....	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and Montgomery.....	1	
"	East side North Main, opposite Montgomery.....	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and Centre.....	1	
"	South-east corner North Main and Bridge.....	1	
"	South-west corner North Main and Park.....	1	
"	East side North Main, opposite Park.....	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and Capitol.....	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and School.....	1	
"	West side North Main, at Centennial block.....	1	
"	East side North Main, opposite Centennial block.....	1	
"	East side North Main, in rear Eagle Hotel.....	1	
"	East side North Main, in rear Woodward block.....	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and Warren.....	1	
"	West side North Main, at Central block.....	1	
"	South-east corner North Main and Depot.....	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and Pleasant.....	1	27
South Main.	South-east corner South Main and Pleasant.....	1	
"	North-east corner South Main and Freight.....	1	
"	East side South Main, opposite Fayette.....	1	
"	East side South Main, opposite Thompson.....	1	
"	South-east corner South Main and Chandler.....	1	
"	North-west corner South Main and Wentworth avenue.....	1	
"	North-west corner South Main and Thorndike.....	1	
"	East side South Main, opposite St. John's church.....	1	
"	North-west corner South Main and Perley.....	1	
"	West side South Main, near Abbot-Downing Co.'s.....	1	
"	East side South Main, opposite Abbot-Downing Co.'s.....	1	
"	North-west corner South Main and West.....	1	12
Turnpike.	East side Turnpike, near West.....	1	
"	West side Turnpike, opposite Gas.....	1	
"	West side Turnpike, opposite Holt Bros. Mfg Co.....	1	
"	Southwest corner Turnpike and South State.....	1	
"	Northwest corner Turnpike and Pillsbury.....	1	
"	East side Turnpike, opposite Pillsbury.....	1	
"	West side Turnpike, at J. H. Lamprey's.....	1	
Water.	West side Turnpike, at W. J. Sawyer's.....	1	8
Hall.	West side Water, near Capt. James Thompson's.....	1	1
Hammond.	West side Hall, below Rolfe and Rumford Asylum.....	1	1
Fiske.	North side Hammond, near Bridge.....	1	1
Summer.	West side Fiske, near North State.....	1	1
Durgin.	North-east corner Summer and Pitman.....	1	1
North State.	West side Durgin, near Toof's laundry.....	1	
"	South-west corner North State and Penacook.....	1	
"	North-west corner North State and Walker.....	1	
"	North-west corner North State and Church.....	1	
"	North-west corner North State and Tremont.....	1	
"	North-east corner North State and Washington.....	1	
"	West side North State, opposite Court.....	1	
"	North-west corner North State and Maple.....	1	
"	North-east corner North State and Centre.....	1	
"	East side North State, opposite government building.....	1	
"	South-west corner North State and School.....	1	
"	North-west corner North State and Warren.....	1	
"	North-west corner North State and Pleasant.....	1	12
South State.	East side South State, opposite Wall.....	1	

FIRE-HYDRANTS.—*Continued.*

STREETS.	LOCATIONS.	Number.	Total.
South State	North-west corner South State and Thompson.....	1	
"	South-west corner South State and Monroe.....	1	
"	East side South State, opposite Laurel.....	1	
"	South-east corner South State and Downing.....	1	
"	North-east corner South State and West.....	1	
"	Junction of South State and Turnpike.....	1	7
Mills.	South-east corner Mills and Downing.....	1	
"	West side Mills, near Levi Call's.....	1	2
Dakin.	West side Dakin, near C. E. Harriman's.....	1	1
Dunklee.	North-west corner Dunklee and Pillsbury.....	1	1
Broadway.	West side Broadway, near precinct line.....	1	1
Green.	North-west corner Green and Prince.....	1	
"	East side Green, opposite Prince.....	1	2
South.	West side South, opposite Wall.....	1	
"	North-west corner South and Thompson.....	1	
"	West side South, opposite Monroe.....	1	
"	West side South, opposite Laurel.....	1	
"	West side South, opposite Downing.....	1	
"	West side South, opposite Allison.....	1	
"	West side South, near Abbot farm.....	1	
"	West side South, opposite Smith farm.....	1	
"	North-west corner South and Rockingham.....	1	9
Bradley.	South-west corner Bradley and Penacook.....	1	
"	West side Bradley, opposite Walker.....	1	
"	East side Bradley, opposite Highland.....	1	3
Union.	North-west corner Union and Maple.....	1	1
Lyndon.	South-west corner Lyndon and Tremont.....	1	1
No. Spring.	South-west corner North Spring and Centre.....	1	1
So. Spring.	South-west corner South Spring and Oak.....	1	
"	West side South Spring, opposite Concord.....	1	
"	West side South Spring, opposite Perley proposed extension.....	1	3
Rumford.	West side Rumford, opposite Perkins.....	1	
"	North-east corner Rumford and Franklin.....	1	
"	West side Rumford, opposite Beacon.....	1	
"	North-east corner Rumford and Abbot.....	1	
"	North-east corner Rumford and Cambridge.....	1	
"	North-east corner Rumford and School.....	1	6
Tahanto.	North-west corner Tahanto and School.....	1	1
Pine.	South-west corner Pine and Centre.....	1	1
High.	North-west corner High and Auburn.....	1	
"	East side High, opposite Forest.....	1	
"	South-west corner High and Franklin.....	1	3
Giles.	South-east corner Giles and School.....	1	1
Fruit.	North-east corner Fruit and Clinton.....	1	
"	East side Fruit, opposite Wm. W. Critchett's.....	1	
"	North-west corner Fruit and Woodman.....	1	3
Minot.	West side Minot, near Odd Fellows' Home.....	1	1
Penacook.	South side Penacook, near F. B. Co.'s bark house.....	1	
"	South side Penacook, near F. B. Co.'s office.....	1	
"	South-east corner Penacook and North Main.....	1	
"	South-west corner Penacook and Rumford.....	1	
"	South-east corner Penacook and Columbus avenue.....	1	5
Highland.	North-east corner Highland and Rumford.....	1	1
Church.	North side Church, opposite Lyndon.....	1	
"	North-east corner Church and Rumford.....	1	2
Franklin.	North-west corner Franklin and Jackson.....	1	
"	South-west corner Franklin and Rumford.....	1	
"	South side Franklin, opposite W. J. Ahern's.....	1	
"	North-east corner Franklin and Auburn.....	1	4
Beacon.	North-west corner Beacon and Jackson.....	1	1
Blanchard.	North-west corner Blanchard and Essex.....	1	1
Ferry.	North side Ferry, east of C. & M. Railroad.....	1	1
Washington.	South-west corner Washington and Union.....	1	
"	North-west corner Washington and Rumford.....	1	
Valley.	North side Washington, opposite Perry avenue.....	1	
"	North side Valley, opposite Forest.....	1	

FIRE-HYDRANTS.—*Continued.*

STREETS.	LOCATIONS.	Number.	Total.
Auburn.	North-west corner Auburn and Forest.....	1	1
Centre.	North-east corner Centre and North State.....	1	
"	South-west corner Centre and Green.....	1	
"	North-west corner Centre and Union.....	1	
"	North-west corner Centre and North Spring.....	1	
"	North-west corner Centre and Rumford.....	1	
"	South side Centre opposite Essex.....	1	
"	South-west corner Centre and Summit avenue.....	1	
"	Northeast corner Centre and Bridge Road.....	1	8
Bridge.	South side Bridge, near easterly barn.....	1	1
Capitol.	North-east corner Capitol and North State.....	1	1
School.	North-west corner School and Green.....	1	
"	North-west corner School and North Spring.....	1	
"	North-west corner School and Merrimack.....	1	
"	North side School, near city storehouse.....	1	
"	North side School, opposite E. B. Woodworth's.....	1	5
Depot.	North-west corner Depot and Railroad square.....	1	
"	South side Depot at end of train shed.....	1	2
Warren.	North-west corner Warren and Green.....	1	
"	North-west corner Warren and North Spring.....	1	
"	North-west corner Warren and Rumford.....	1	
"	South-west corner Warren and Merrimack.....	1	
"	North-west corner Warren and Tahanto.....	1	
"	North-east corner Warren and High.....	1	7
Pleasant.	Junction Warren and Pleasant, near Fruit.....	1	
"	North-west corner Pleasant and Railroad Square.....	1	
"	North-west corner Pleasant and Green.....	1	
"	Southwest Corner Pleasant and Spring.....	1	
"	South side Pleasant, opposite Rumford.....	1	
"	South side Pleasant, opposite Merrimack.....	1	
"	South side Pleasant, opposite Pine.....	1	
"	South side Pleasant, opposite Liberty.....	1	
"	North side Pleasant, near Salem.....	1	
"	South side Pleasant, near Mrs. Eddy's.....	1	
"	North side Pleasant, near Mrs. Lane's.....	1	
"	North side Pleasant, near J. McC. Hammond's.....	1	
"	South side Pleasant, opposite Pond road.....	1	
"	South side Pleasant, near J. Milnor Coit's.....	1	
"	North side Pleasant, opposite Infirmary.....	1	
"	South side Pleasant, near the mill.....	1	15
Mill Road.	East side Mill road, near Upper School cottage.....	1	
St. P. School.	North side Mill road, at Orphans' Home.....	1	2
Marshall.	North side Marshall, opposite Fuller.....	1	1
Freight.	North side Freight at south-west corner passenger station.....	1	1
Hill's ave.	North-east corner Hill's avenue and South Main.....	1	
"	South-west corner Hill's avenue and Railroad square.....	1	2
Fayette.	North-west corner Fayette and Elm.....	1	1
Chandler.	South side Chandler, opposite Railroad.....	1	1
Concord.	South side Concord, opposite Jefferson.....	1	1
Thorndike.	North-east corner Thorndike and Grove.....	1	1
Laurel.	North-east corner Laurel and Pierce.....	1	1
Perley.	North-west corner Perley and Grove.....	1	
"	South side Perley, near old brook.....	1	2
West.	North side West, near Badger.....	1	
"	North side West, opposite Dakin.....	1	
"	North side West, at intersection Broadway.....	1	3
Harrison.	North-west corner Harrison and Morton.....	1	1
Allison.	North-west corner Allison and Mills.....	1	1
Rockingham.	North-east corner Rockingham and Broadway.....	1	1
Prospect.	North-west corner Prospect and Granite avenue.....	1	1
Curtice ave.	North side Curtice avenue, near John C. Kenney's.....	1	1
On main line	West side West Concord road, at water-works storehouse.....	1	
"	North-east corner West Concord road and Foster.....	1	
"	East side West Concord road, near cemetery gate.....	1	
"	West side West Concord road, near Calvary cemetery.....	1	

FIRE-HYDRANTS.—*Concluded.*

STREETS.	LOCATIONS.	Number.	Total.
WEST CONCORD.			
On main line	East side, West Concord road near Asa L. Gay's.....	1	
"	East side West Concord road, near C. H. Farnum's.....	1	
"	East side West Concord road, near stone cut.....	1	7
Main.	East side Main, near old city farm.....	1	
"	East side Main, near engine-house.....	1	
"	East side Main, opposite D. Holden's.....	1	
"	West side Main, near north mill.....	1	
"	East side Main, opposite Geo. W. Brown's.....	1	
"	East side Main, near Mr. Harrington's.....	1	
"	East side Main, opposite A. Hollis's.....	1	
"	East side Main, near Sewall's Falls road.....	1	8
Electric.	North-east corner of Electric and Main.....	1	
"	North side Electric, near power station.....	1	2
Lake.	East side Lake, near S. W. Kellom's.....	1	
"	East side Lake, near Mrs. G. E. Holden's.....	1	2
Knight.	South side Knight, opposite railroad station.....	1	1
Hutchins.	North side Hutchins, near B. T. Putney's.....	1	
"	North side Hutchins, near C. & C. Railroad.....	1	2
Pen'ck Road	West side Penacook road, near Warner road.....	1	
"	West side Penacook road, near Mr. Currier's.....	1	2
PENACOOK.			
Main.	West side Main, opposite Stark.....	1	
"	West side Main, near Mr. Prescott's.....	1	
"	South-west corner Main and Union.....	1	
"	Washington square, opposite Washington.....	1	
"	North-west corner Main and Charles.....	1	
"	North side Main, opposite East Canal.....	1	
"	North side Main, near iron bridge.....	1	7
West Main.	West side West Main, opposite Cemetery.....	1	1
High.	East side High, opposite Summit.....	1	
"	North-west corner High and Maple.....	1	
"	North-west corner High and Spring.....	1	3
Washington.	South-east corner Washington and Union.....	1	
"	South side Washington, opposite John Whitaker's.....	1	
"	South side Washington, opposite Charles.....	1	
"	South side Washington, near Contoocook bridge.....	1	4
Charles.	South-west corner Charles and Warren.....	1	
"	North side Charles, near Geo. W. Corey's.....	1	2
West Canal.	South-east corner West Canal and Warren.....	1	1
East Canal.	North side East Canal, near Contoocook Mfg. Co.....	1	
"	North side East Canal, near Crescent.....	1	2
Crescent.	North side Crescent, east of Canal.....	1	1
Merrimack.	South side Merrimack, opposite Merrimack avenue.....	1	
"	North side Merrimack, opposite D. W. Fox's.....	1	
"	North side Merrimack, opposite Cross.....	1	
"	South side Merrimack, opposite Rolfe's shop.....	1	
"	North side Merrimack, near road to Island.....	1	
"	North-west corner Merrimack and Penacook.....	1	6
Summer.	North side Summer, opposite High.....	1	
"	North-east corner Summer and Centre.....	1	2
Spring.	North-east corner Spring and Church.....	1	1
Centre.	North-west corner Centre and Spring.....	1	1
Cross.	South-west corner Cross and Summer.....	1	1
Rolfe.	North side Rolfe, near James Corbett's.....	1	
"	North-west corner Rolfe and Penacook.....	1	2
Penacook.	West side Penacook, opposite A. W. Rolfe's.....	1	1
Whole number public hydrants.....			252

FIRE-HYDRANTS.—*Continued.*

STREETS.	LOCATIONS.	Number.	Total.
PRIVATE HYDRANTS.			
	Boston & Maine Railroad, upper yard, 6 post and 3 flush hydrants	6	
	Boston & Maine Railroad, new shops.....	14	
	New state prison.....	8	
	Abbot-Downing Co.'s yard.....	6	
	Page Belting Co.'s yard.....	6	
	W. P. Ford & Co.'s yard.....	1	
	N. H. Asylum for Insane yard	1	
	Concord Gas Light Co.'s yard.....	1	
	St. Paul's school.....	1	
	Water-works pumping station grounds.....	1	40
	Whole number private hydrants.....	.....	40

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

REPORT OF COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS

To the City Council:

Gentlemen:—In submitting my annual report as commissioner of highways, I will touch briefly upon the work accomplished during the past year.

Not much has been done on new streets, McKinley street being the only one of much importance. This street was nearly finished to grade. There has been a fill made on Langdon street of 704 loads which makes it passable, and a temporary plank walk built from Turnpike street to the railroad shops for the accommodation of the employees of the works.

A petition for the grading of High street from Centre to Franklin was presented to the city council in March and referred to the committee on streets and sidewalks. By them it was recommended that the matter be referred to the commissioner of highways and that the street be graded as far as practicable this season. Work on the same was commenced in June. The material excavated was a good quality of gravel and was used to advantage in repairing the streets. About 1,200 loads of stone and 1,833 loads of gravel were removed. This gravel was very valuable, as the many heavy rains caused numberless washouts and the stone was crushed with our portable plant at a small expense. There is still considerable work to be done on the street which will make a fine street when completed and be a great improvement to that part of the city.

Of the work done on bridges this year \$137.39 was expended in replanking and repairing the "Twin bridge" at Penacook. In March this bridge was inspected by a bridge builder and

thought to be safe for another season, but it should soon be replaced with an iron bridge. The bridge on the South Pembroke road over the Soucook river was repaired by the city, the Town of Pembroke paying one half the expense of \$67.60. The stringers of the bridge over the Turkey river at St. Paul's School are decayed and will have to be replaced next year. There is considerable travel over this bridge and a new one with sidewalks is needed, and I think the School would bear a portion of the expense of constructing a modern iron bridge. The London and Federal bridges across the Merrimack, the Iron bridge at Penacook and the one at Horse Hill across the Contoocook will have to be painted next season, which will be quite an expense.

In June, the heavy rainfall raised Penacook lake, the source of the city water supply, so that it overflowed and did considerable damage. Hutchins street from the lake to West State street was badly washed. The culvert on Quaker street proved insufficient to carry the water and was therefore enlarged at an expense of \$144.49. At this same time the culvert over Bow brook on Clinton street was enlarged, the expense being \$36.95. A portion of the culvert on West State street opposite the Concord Manufacturing Company's mill will have to be rebuilt next year.

The work of cleaning streets this year has been done under a separate appropriation. The spring and fall cleaning work increases each year, and this season 2,595 loads of garbage were removed. This work is a great help toward the good appearance of our city. The residents seem to take more pride in keeping their yards and vacant lots neat, since the city removes the ashes and rubbish. This season the work of keeping Main street from Pleasant to Centre and Warren and Capitol streets from State to Main clean, was given to one man with a hand-cart. The method has proved very satisfactory and another year, I think, it would be advisable to add another cart and to extend the work over a larger portion of the city. The business section has been cleaned by night as years before. There are still many calls to have the section extended.

The snows of the past winter have been removed from the

sidewalks by the owners or occupants of the premises. Several hundred notices were sent out during the season ordering the walks cleaned, but in only a few cases were second notices necessary. One case was referred to the city solicitor for action and the matter was brought before the police court. An appeal was made to the higher court for a decision, but the case is still unsettled.

During the summer there were many hard rain storms, often three or four in succession. This, of course, filled up the catch-basins and necessitated considerable work on them. The number is large and increasing each year, and therefore the appropriation of \$800 was soon exhausted and the city asked to appropriate more money. From the money collected by the department \$300 was transferred to the appropriation. This sum was still insufficient and more money called for. By this may be seen that a much larger sum will have to be appropriated next year.

The appropriations for the Highway Department for 1897 were made under different heads as follows: General maintenance and repairs, \$18,000; permanent work, \$8,000; cleaning streets, \$4,000; sidewalks and crossings, \$4,500; construction and cleaning catch-basins, \$800; making a total of \$35,300. This amount was formerly appropriated in one sum, excepting that for sidewalks and crossings, and the public generally understood that it was expended wholly on the streets and thought that we had but little to show for the money expended. By the appropriation being divided it may be seen just what the amounts are expended for. I hope that the appropriation for permanent work may be increased another year.

In my last report I recommended the purchase of a portable stone crusher plant, which the city thought advisable to buy this season. At the meeting of the city council in May, a resolution was passed appointing a committee of three, consisting of the Mayor, Commissioner of Highways and Alderman Rowell, to purchase a portable stone crusher for the city with full power to make selection as in their judgment the interests of the city demanded. The committee examined plants in operation in several places and found that they all gave satisfaction. Bids were

called for and six were received, which were as follows: Earl C. Bacon, Farrel Crusher, \$2,040; Good Roads Machinery Co., Champion, \$1,677; S. C. Nightingale & Childs, Austin, \$1,795; Climax Road Machine Co., Climax, \$1,462; Austin & Western Co., Western, \$1,500; Gates Iron Works, Invincible, \$1,950. The bid of the Climax company being the lowest, it was accepted. We experienced considerable delay in receiving the crusher, but by the last of July it was installed at a gravel bank on the main road between Penacook and West Concord. It was difficult to obtain much stone only by running the gravel through the crusher. This, of course, gave a large amount of fine stone, but about 600 loads were crushed and used on the Penacook road below Willow Hollow. From there the crusher was moved to High street where it was used during the remainder of the season, and it may be used there another season to good advantage.

A portion of the appropriation for permanent work was expended for the new portable stone crusher and the remainder for macadamizing. The following table shows the work done:

PERMANENT WORK.

Work.	Street.	From	To	Length.	Width.	Loads crushed.	Cost of excavat- ing.	Cost of spread- ing, rolling, etc.	Total cost.
Macadamizing.....	No. State.....	Franklin.....	Church.....	458'	29'	196	\$69.00	\$230.91	\$349.91
"	"	Church.....	Flake.....	657'	31'	369	87.33	573.93	661.76
"	So. State.....	Perley.....	Downing.....	290'	31'	144	67.55	253.04	320.59
"	"	Downing.....	West.....	475'	32'	328	110.32	471.68	592.50
"	So. Main.....	Concord.....	Thorndike.....	450'	26'	122	81.55	163.17	244.72
"	"	Thorndike.....	Perley.....	513'	33'	137	309.07	253.49	562.56
"	"	Perley.....	Abbot's shop.....	254'	34'	106	203.72	153.56	367.28
"	"	Abbot's shop.....	Watering-trough.....	254'	34'	166	126.45	245.80	372.45
"	Merrimack.....	Penacook.....	Watering-trough.....	300'	18'	191	155.73	693.33	849.26
"	Penacook Road*.....	.....	.....	2,100'	18'	597	198.70	1,550.25	1,748.95
				6,351'	.....	2,858	\$1,410.63	\$4,644.36	\$6,054.96

* South of Willow Hollow.

The stone for these several pieces of work was the material from High street crushed with the portable crusher, with the exception of that used on North State street, which came from the stationary crusher and that on Merrimack street in Penacook. Material was not plenty there and it was found that it could be delivered there from Suncook at less expense. Another year, I think it would be advisable to expend a portion of this appropriation for a good piece of paving. There has been a petition presented to the city council for the paving of Bridge street from Main street to the Railroad bridge, but no action has been taken. North Main street from Centre to Pitman is still in poor condition and it seems that paving would be the thing for the place. All the freight and travel from the railroad station is over Freight street and I think the public deserves a better street. On account of the heavy traffic, paving is certainly what is needed.

I would recommend the establishing of the street line on the Hopkinton road from Fruit street to Pleasant View, the home of Mrs. Mary B. G. Eddy, and putting in a macadam road from Fruit street to St. Paul's School. There is more pleasure driving over this road than any other leading from the city and macadam would doubtless be greatly appreciated.

The matter of moving the street railway track at Penacook, which has been before the city government for many years, was finally settled at the October meeting. By an agreement with the street railway company the location was to be excavated and filled by the city according to plans and specifications drawn up by the city engineer and the railway company to move their tracks and pay the sum of \$75 toward the work of excavating and filling. The contract was awarded Henry Morrill of Penacook for \$552.20, and the work completed by him in December. It is expected that the railway company will move their tracks early in the spring and when that is done it will be necessary to put in a bank wall opposite the premises of John Wilde and Harry A. Cleveland.

In November the railway company commenced the work of laying new rails on North Main street, which was rather late in the season for work of that kind. The paving had to be taken

up and as the cold weather soon came on it was impossible to get it back in good condition. The thaw and rains which followed took the frost out of the ground and left the street in a terrible condition. The company repaired it as well as they could, but it will all have to be relaid another year.

The city council this year amended the City Ordinances in regard to the issuing of permits for opening and obstructing streets. There had been no written permits issued but by the amendment of the ordinances the matter was left with the Commissioner of Highways. A form of permit was made out and approved by the city council. Although it is not yet generally understood in regard to obtaining permits, the people have in most cases, obtained them before commencing the work. The permits give the name of the person calling for the same, the street and number, length and width of obstruction or opening, date of issuing, date when work is to be completed, and the rules and regulations governing the work. This is signed by the person obtaining the permit and a duplicate copy given him which is to be returned when the work is completed and is filed with the original permit. They are valuable as a protection to the city and have proved so in cases where the street has not been left in a proper condition, as there has been some means of reaching the party doing the work.

In closing, I desire to thank His Honor the Mayor, the city council, the committees on streets and sidewalks, roads and bridges and city solicitor for the many courtesies extended the highway department.

Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED CLARK,
Com. of Highways.

RECORD OF LABOR ON STREETS.

WARD ONE.

Merrimack Avenue:	
Repairing sidewalk.....	\$ 0.57
Summer Street:	
Repairing sidewalk.....	13.53
Cross Street:	
Repairing sidewalk between Merrimack and Summer streets.....	2.13
Church Street:	
Repairing sidewalk.....	2.13
Spring Street:	
Repairing sidewalk.....	4.27
Horse Hill Road:	
Raking stones.....	.67
Elm Street:	
General repairs by Hardy's and Colby's.....	32.35
Grading walk for concrete at Main.....	50.57
Building gravel walk on north side.....	57.63
Centre street:	
Grading walk for concrete at Spring.....	36.93
High Street:	
General repairs.....	2.59
Setting edgestones at C. E. Foote's.....	29.58
Pleasant Street:	
General repairs.....	4.46
River Road:	
Repairing culverts.....	15.03
Merrimack Street:	
General repairs.....	4.94
Grading near Fowler's.....	65.67
Putting in drive box at B. F. Varney's.....	1.00
Repairing sidewalk.....	22.44
Macadamizing near R. R. station.....	854.36

Main Street:

General repairs.....	\$ 8.47
Repairing gutters.....	15.06
Repairing sidewalks.....	29.50
Grading on hill near hotel.....	148.77
Moving Street Railway per contract.....	552.20
General repairs account moving track.....	70.37

Washington Street:

General repairs.....	21.12
Grading	16.57
Repairing sidewalks.....	6.88
Repairing fountain in square.....	47.70

Warren street:

Repairing gutter.....	.17
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East Canal and Walnut Street:

General repairs.....	17.93
Repairing Twin Bridge.....	137.39
Grading sidewalk.....	25.67
Repairing gutters.....	.40
Repairing sidewalks.....	1.41

WARD TWO.

Curtis Road:

General repairs.....	\$ 18.00
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East Clinton Street:

General repairs.....	8.10
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Penacook Street:

General repairs.....	16.50
Grading	107.30
Laying rubble drain.....	6.60
Repairing culvert at Bowen brook.....	8.40

Pembroke street:

General repairs.....	41.10
Grading	9.53
Repairing sidewalks.....	6.60

Shaker Road:

General repairs.....	82.34
Repairing culverts.....	7.33

Eastman Street:	
General repairs.....	1.30
Portsmouth Street:	
General repairs.....	13.70
Kearsarge Street:	
Grading	11.02
Mills Street:	
General repairs.....	1.60
Grading	11.70
Mountain Road (No. Concord District):	
General repairs on hill by schoolhouse.....	9.21
Penacook Road (No. Concord District):	
General repairs.....	45.78
Loudon Road (No. Concord District):	
General repairs.....	114.52

WARD THREE.

Quaker Street:	
Painting fence.....	\$ 1.11
Repairing sidewalk.....	1.57
Rebuilding culvert and building wall at ice house	144.49
Knight Street:	
General repairs.....	4.37
Grading	11.10
Building sidewalk and paving gutter by H. H. Chase's	12.22
Peabody Street:	
Grading	6.42
"Kit Shop" Road:	
General repairs.....	2.17
West Parish Road:	
General repairs.....	47.88
Hutchins Street:	
General repairs.....	15.35
Grading sidewalk.....	14.78
Painting fence.....	2.99
Repairing sidewalk.....	1.79

Repairing culvert at Crossman's.....	8.61
Building blind drain by Deacon Barrett's.....	144.28
Filling washouts account of pond overflow.....	50.87
Engel Road:	
General repairs.....	6.07
Bog Road:	
General repairs.....	7.61
Lake Street:	
General repairs.....	5.61
Painting fence.....	2.92
Repairing sidewalk.....	4.37
Building culvert under walk.....	2.68
West State Street:	
General repairs.....	185.43
General repairs account overflow.....	43.75
Painting fence.....	4.92
Repairing sidewalk by Moses Farnum's, account washout	8.99
Repairing sidewalks.....	91.30
Repairing culverts.....	7.86
Building sidewalk at Swenson's and Farnum's...	42.01
View Street:	
Repairing sidewalk.....	5.90
Second Street:	
General repairs.....	54.66
Sewall's Falls Road:	
General Repairs.....	19.36
Building sidewalk.....	35.78
Laying over culvert.....	6.98

WARD FOUR.

Chapel Street:	
General repairs.....	\$ 25.93
Building sidewalk.....	22.55
Court Street:	
General repairs.....	2.66
Maple Street:	
General repairs.....	11.63

Abbott Street:	
Building sidewalk on south side.	24.22
Building sidewalk on north side.	23.33
Grading walk for concrete.	4.97
Building crossing at Rumford.	3.40
Pearl Street:	
General repairs.	10.70
Rollins Court:	
General repairs.	1.83
White Street:	
General repairs.	1.50
Vernon Street:	
General repairs.	1.92
Ridge Road:	
Cutting to grade.	211.13
Building sidewalk.	20.90
Building plank walk.	3.93
Beacon Street:	
General repairs.	24.46
Washington Street:	
General repairs.	50.72
Grading walk for concrete on south side between Academy and Rumford.	8.23
Repairing walk on south side between State and Main.	1.93
Repairing walk on south from Perry avenue.	1.65
Grading off banking between Academy and Rumford.	12.07
Removing trees.	3.84
Park Ridge:	
Building sidewalk.	11.13
Jackson West Court:	
Repairing sidewalk.	4.40
Chestnut Street:	
General repairs.	18.82
Valley Street:	
Repairing sidewalks.	14.28

Perry Avenue:	
General repairs.....	15.07
Repairing sidewalks.....	2.23
Essex Street:	
General repairs.....	.28
Forest Street:	
General repairs.....	1.43
Academy Street:	
General repairs.....	2.74
Albin Street:	
Repairing sidewalks.....	41.92
Lyndon Street:	
General repairs.....	23.63
Grading walk for concrete from Abbott Street west	4.36
Repairing sidewalk between Franklin and Tre- mont	4.33
Pitman Street:	
General repairs.....	10.19
Union Street:	
General repairs.....	34.45
Trimming trees.....	3.96
Tremont Street:	
General repairs.....	10.92
Setting edgestone and grading walk for concrete	77.13
Paving gutter.....	27.40
Montgomery Street:	
General repairs.....	3.02

WARD FIVE.

Woodman Street:	
General repairs.....	\$ 7.53
Repairing culvert.....	14.75
Removing tree.....	3.35
Prince Street:	
General repairs.....	1.47
Tahanto Street:	
General repairs.....	3.37
Trimming trees.....	2.65

Blake Street:	
General repairs.....	1.37
Removing tree.....	33.12
Setting edgestone and grading walk for concrete	42.32
West Washington Street:	
Building sidewalk.....	70.62
Garden Street:	
General repairs.....	1.38
Liberty Street:	
General repairs.....	2.84
Repairing sidewalk between Centre and School..	1.80
Grading walk for concrete by Chas. Clarke's....	6.89
Merrimack Street:	
General repairs.....	1.18
Huntingdon Street:	
Building sidewalk on east side between School and Garden streets.....	6.18
Holt Street:	
Building sidewalk.....	9.67
Odd Fellow's Avenue:	
General repairs.....	1.73
Drawing and setting edgestone.....	79.17
Building plank walk.....	5.80
Park Street:	
General repairs.....	7.38
Short Street:	
General repairs.....	5.98
Paving gutter on south side.....	35.75
Re-setting edgestone.....	4.40
Pine Street:	
General repairs.....	7.65
Repairing gutter by Mrs. Clough's.....	23.22
Repairing sidewalks between School and Centre streets	1.47
Setting edgestone and grading walk for concrete	62.06
Green Street:	
General repairs.....	7.88

Giles Street:

General repairs.....	.57
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Warren Street:

General repairs.....	74.49
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Paving gutter between Liberty and Blanchard's store	132.93
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Repairing culvert at Bow Brook.....	9.10
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Setting edgestone and grading walk for concrete by J. C. Derby's.....	102.32
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Setting edgestone and grading walk for concrete by Mrs. Gannon's.....	38.22
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Setting edgestone and grading walk for concrete by Seth Dole's.....	26.38
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Setting edgestone and grading walk for concrete by J. Crowley's.....	30.08
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Setting edgestone on north side opposite police station	17.60
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Repairing walk on north side between Liberty and Washington.....	4.87
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Repairing drive box at jail.....	3.54
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Macadamizing at Green.....	19.62
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School Street:

General repairs.....	96.17
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Repairing culvert at Bow Brook.....	4.83
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Setting stone step at 116 School street.....	5.02
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Relaying gutter at Gustavus Walker's.....	2.40
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WARD SIX

Pierce Street:

Grading	\$ 29.55
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Thompson Street:

Paving gutter on both sides.....	30.07
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Jefferson Street:

Grading	8.55
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Wall Street:

General repairs.....	1.73
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Beaver Street:	
Grading	3.73
Repairing sidewalk.....	3.87
Grove Street:	
General repairs.....	25.52
Monroe Street:	
General repairs.....	21.71
Removing tree.....	1.86
Clough Avenue:	
General repairs.....	1.50
Fayette street:	
General repairs.....	10.25
Repairing gutter between State and Main.....	6.47
Re-setting edgestone between State and Main...	3.75
Concord Street:	
General repairs.....	16.94
Grading	45.20
Paving gutters on both sides east of State street	36.09
Repairing walk between Beaver and Jefferson...	14.53
Repairing walk between Beaver and State.....	10.17
Thorndike Street:	
General repairs.....	49.70
Removing tree.....	2.78
Paving gutter on both sides from Main street west	35.33
Building sidewalk.....	10.75
Myrtle Street:	
General repairs.....	1.25
Elm Street:	
General repairs.....	2.15
Grading walk for concrete.....	3.58
South Spring Street:	
General repairs.....	40.93
Paving gutter.....	47.00
Perley Street:	
General repairs.....	2.18
Setting edgestone between Main and State.....	72.25

WARD SEVEN.

Birchdale Road:	
General repairs.....	\$ 8.03
Cutting bushes.....	3.47
Repairing bridge.....	2.27
Hall Street:	
General repairs.....	.70
Rockingham Street:	
General repairs.....	14.59
Langdon Street:	
Filling	114.07
Building plank walk.....	41.58
Pillsbury Street:	
General repairs.....	4.37
Birch Street:	
General repairs.....	8.47
West Street:	
General repairs.....	14.48
Cutting hill to grade and re-setting curb by Brooks's store.....	143.90
Mills Street:	
General repairs.....	5.59
St Paul's School Road:	
Grading	15.05
Minot Street:	
General repairs.....	11.85
Noyes Street:	
General repairs.....	3.74
Tuttle Street:	
General repairs.....	16.13
Bow Street:	
General repairs.....	4.31
Building sidewalk.....	9.90
Iron Works Road:	
General repairs.....	31.74

Allison Street:	
General repairs.....	35.73
Building sidewalk between Eastman and Broad-	
way	34.08
Harrison Street:	
Laying drain.....	1.66
Building sidewalk.....	21.37
Gas Street:	
General repairs.....	3.13
Delano Road:	
Cutting bushes.....	4.36
"Mose Brown" Road:	
General repairs.....	8.11
Tamblyne Road:	
General repairs.....	16.41
Abbott Road:	
General repairs.....	11.36
Saltmarsh Road:	
General repairs.....	32.80
Stickney Hill Road:	
General repairs.....	36.95
Planking bridge over Turkey river.....	38.15
Silk Farm Road:	
General repairs.....	5.65
Cutting bushes.....	3.47
Hopkinton New Road:	
General repairs.....	41.55
Hopkinton Old Road:	
General repairs.....	33.07
Fiske Road:	
General repairs.....	105.26
Repairing walk by St. Paul's School.....	2.13
Dimond Hill Road:	
General repairs.....	89.25
Broadway:	
Building sidewalk from Pillsbury to Carter street	7.70
McKinley Street:	
Cutting and grading.....	280.11

Water street:	
Rubbling around lower bridge.....	14.90
General repairs.....	27.56
Removing tree.....	1.85
Glen Street:	
General repairs.....	18.61
Cutting to grade.....	145.09
Bog Road:	
General repairs.....	399.67
Clinton Street:	
General repairs.....	81.11
Enlarging culvert over Bow Brook.....	36.95
Turnpike Street:	
General repairs.....	73.52
Building fence opposite Railroad shops.....	17.12
Building sidewalk on west side between McKinley and Rockingham streets.....	16.40
Building sidewalk on west side at Langdon street	28.80
Repairing sidewalk on west side between Pills- bury and Allison streets.....	7.97
Repairing sidewalk on west side opposite hospital	3.37
Hopkinton Road:	
General repairs and grading.....	393.39
Building sidewalk.....	129.56
Repairing bridge by laundry at St. Paul's School...	45.55
Laying over culverts.....	37.38

WARD EIGHT.

South Pembroke Road:	
General repairs.....	239.10
Repairing bridge over Soucook river.....	67.60
Pembroke Road:	
General repairs.....	16.31
Pittsfield Road:	
General repairs.....	117.57
East Pembroke Road:	
General repairs.....	2.27

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"Sheep Davis" Road:	
General repairs.....	6.13
Chandler Street:	
General repairs.....	1.83
Hill's Avenue:	
General repairs.....	8.59
Freight Street:	
General repairs.....	24.78
Depot Street:	
General repairs.....	22.38
Turnpike Road:	
General repairs.....	12.94
Sugar Bowl Road:	
General repairs.....	5.10
Break O Day Road:	
Cutting bushes.....	9.00
"Tim Chase" Road:	
General repairs.....	10.08
Loudon Road:	
General repairs.....	150.65
Ferry Street:	
General repairs.....	81.65
Bridge Street:	
General repairs.....	96.78
Repairing Loudon bridge.....	9.10

WARD NINE.

Highland Street:	
General repairs.....	\$ 4.23
Setting edgestone at Louis Boulay's.....	106.02
Repairing walk between Jackson and Bradley streets	5.93
Charles Street:	
General repairs.....	1.88
Paving gutter on east side.....	34.81
Repairing sidewalk.....	2.13
Foster Street:	
Grading	26.25
Building sidewalk.....	6.37

Long Pond Road:

General repairs ward 3.....	222.08
General repairs ward 7.....	24.24
General repairs ward 9.....	89.24
Laying over culvert at Crowley's, ward 9.....	3.05
Building culvert west of John Jordan's, ward 9..	4.67
Repairing culvert by Frank Griffin's, ward 9....	5.70

East Concord Road:

General repairs ward 4.....	28.90
General repairs ward 8.....	4.00
General repairs ward 9.....	3.19
Grading ward 8.....	117.43

South Street:

General repairs ward 6.....	104.79
General repairs ward 7.....	34.09
Removing trees at Downing and Clinton streets ward 7.....	6.50

Penacook Road:

Grading with stone chips, ward 3.....	275.32
General repairs, ward 1.....	22.60
General repairs, ward 3.....	74.43
Macadamizing below Willow Hollow, ward 1..	1,748.95

Auburn Street:

General repairs, ward 4.....	30.25
General repairs, ward 9.....	13.23

Rumford Street:

General repairs, ward 4.....	14.94
General repairs, ward 5.....	.74
General repairs, ward 9.....	12.08
Repairing sidewalk between Church and Frank- lin streets, ward 4.....	6.58
Repairing sidewalk near Washington street, ward 4.....	2.70
Building sidewalk on east side between Washing- ton and Abbott streets, ward 4.....	25.07
Cutting sidewalk to grade on west side between Church and Wyman, ward 9.....	18.37
Removing tree at B. S. Rolfe's, ward 5.....	4.65

North Main street:	
General repairs, ward 4.....	69.80
General repairs, ward 5.....	3.69
General repairs, ward 8.....	39.68
Grading between Fiske and Penacook streets, ward 4.....	32.68
Repairing macadam, ward 4.....	6.48
Relaying paving between Warren and School streets, ward 5.....	129.59
Removing tree at Larkin's store, ward 4.....	22.77
Removing tree at Dr. Carter's, ward 4.....	4.57
Trimming tree at S. S. Kimball's, ward 4.....	13.70
Trimming tree at J. B. Walker's, ward 4.....	11.05
Pleasant Street:	
General repairs, ward 5.....	51.65
General repairs, ward 6.....	16.49
General repairs, ward 7.....	31.16
High Street:	
Cutting to grade, ward 4.....	920.20
Building sidewalk, ward 5.....	9.30
Penacook Street:	
General repairs, ward 4.....	3.32
General repairs, ward 9.....	28.69
Repairing sidewalk with crushed stone between Main St. and Tannery, ward 4.....	28.95
North State Street:	
General repairs, ward 4.....	38.38
General repairs, ward 5.....	34.46
General repairs, ward 9.....	61.15
Setting edgestone at Miss H. S. Ordway's, ward 4.....	9.12
Setting edgestone and grading for concrete walk at Ola Anderson's, ward 9.....	51.30
Paving gutter between Franklin and Church streets, ward 4.....	40.10
Macadamizing between Franklin and Fiske streets, ward 4.....	1,011.67

Removing trees between Pleasant and Blake, ward 5.....	3.25
Removing trees at Franklin street, ward 4.....	4.57
Removing trees at Church street, ward 4.....	2.98
Trimming trees at Fosterville, ward 9.....	1.82
Repairing walk between Chapel and Court streets	1.63
South State Street:	
General repairs, ward 6.....	80.80
Removing trees between Pleasant and Fayette streets, ward 6.....	22.27
Trimming trees at J. Foley's, ward 7.....	2.30
Macadamizing from Perley to Downing street, ward 6.....	320.59
Macadamizing from Downing to West, ward 7..	582.50
Filling stone drain opposite Penacook school, ward 7	108.15
South Main Street:	
General repairs, ward 6.....	120.83
General repairs, ward 7.....	32.47
General repairs, ward 8.....	6.75
Setting edgestone at Morrill's block, ward 8....	28.58
Relaying paving at Morrill's block, ward 8....	5.33
Relaying brick walk opposite Mrs. Pickering's..	11.07
Macadamizing between Concord and Thorndike street, ward 6.....	244.72
Macadamizing between Thorndike and Perley street, ward 6.....	562.56
Macadamizing between Perley street and Abbot- Downing shop, ward 6.....	362.28
Macadamizing between Abbot-Downing shop and watering trough, ward 7.....	372.45
North Spring Street:	
General repairs, ward 4.....	6.20
General repairs, ward 5.....	3.51
Downing Street:	
General repairs, ward 6.....	1.30
General repairs, ward 7.....	14.37

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Repairing gutter, ward 6.....	2.80
Repairing sidewalk between South and Pierce street, ward 6.....	2.83
Fruit Street:	
General repairs, ward 5.....	2.20
General repairs, ward 7.....	3.98
Church Street:	
General repairs, ward 4.....	5.15
Grading walk for concrete at Schoolcraft's, ward 4.....	1.95
General repairs, ward 9.....	1.93
Walker Street:	
General repairs, ward 4.....	8.88
Repairing sidewalk on north side between State and Bradley, ward 4.....	21.53
Repairing walk on south side between Rumford and Bradley, ward 9.....	10.60
Setting edgestone at Louis Comolli's, ward 9...	26.72
Bradley Street:	
General repairs, ward 4.....	4.93
General repairs, ward 9.....	.28
Repairing sidewalk on east side between Walker and Penacook streets, ward 9.....	9.79
Setting edgestone at R. A. Jeffers', ward 4.....	68.22
Centre Street:	
General repairs, ward 4.....	55.90
General repairs, ward 5.....	40.58
Taking down tree at Union, ward 4.....	3.85
Grading walk for concrete from Mrs. Barnes' east line to Ridge Road, ward 4.....	7.68
Setting edgestone by Mrs. Barnes's, ward 4....	32.97
Jackson Street:	
General repairs, ward 4.....	38.23
General repairs, ward 9.....	1.34
Repairing sidewalk on west side between Wash- ington and Church, ward 4.....	25.89

Franklin Street:

General repairs, ward 4.....	26.30
General repairs, ward 9.....	41.45
Paving gutter, ward 4.....	10.32
Paving gutter opposite Charles Street, ward 9..	41.43
Setting edgestone and grading walk for concrete on north side opposite Stewart's and Jeffers's, ward 4.....	96.69

There has been paid to the city treasurer the sum of \$1,032.47 collected of abutters for their proportion of concrete sidewalks as follows:

Henry W. Stevens, Trustee.....	\$ 82.60
L. D. Caldon.....	22.05
Louis Boulay.....	92.52
D. W. Chellis.....	11.51
M. S. Schoolcraft.....	9.18
W. C. Davis.....	10.91
Foote & Sanders.....	28.75
C. E. Foote.....	11.78
J. W. Bean.....	48.75
E. W. Brooks.....	87.09
Bridget Gannon.....	24.90
Mrs. W. C. Leavitt.....	19.08
S. C. Morrill.....	28.24
D. E. Murphy.....	33.75
Mrs. Fred Gould.....	19.45
Jeremiah Crowley.....	24.10
S. R. Dole.....	17.06
W. P. Ford.....	5.70
Louis Comolli.....	7.49
A. C. Stewart.....	30.34
H. A. Foster.....	10.85
J. F. Cook.....	10.68
Mrs. Georgie Barnes.....	24.15
Mrs. Ellen Callahan.....	12.28
William H. Hurd.....	8.65
Masonic Building Asso.....	41.85

George Abbott, Jr.....	13.54
Ida Greenleaf.....	11.65
Nancy J. Langmaid.....	25.32
Miss H. S. Ordway.....	6.94
Horace Groves.....	4.67
F. N. Marden.....	11.32
Ola Anderson.....	34.58
Mrs. H. V. Clough.....	38.40
James C. Manning.....	4.46
R. A. Jeffers.....	85.45
J. W. Rankin.....	24.83
C. W. Clark.....	15.67
Mrs. Grace E. Foster.....	7.19
C. S. Woods.....	6.77
Frank Adams.....	8.53
F. E. Coates.....	5.00
Joseph Eastman.....	4.44

\$1,032.47

The following concrete bills remain unpaid:

A. O. Mansur.....	\$ 10.39
T. Murphy.....	18.22
Howard Trevette.....	21.11
Mrs. C. G. Blanchard Estate.....	149.72
John Healy.....	7.60
F. E. Coates.....	3.33
Jackman & Hall.....	47.96
James Coleman.....	16.96
George W. Brown.....	10.00
Mrs. Lewis Brown.....	8.55
Concord Water Works, labor, etc.....	115.01

\$ 408.85

Paid to the city treasurer the sum of \$170.50, received for labor, crushed stone, etc.

C. N. Barton, crushed stone.....	\$ 1.20
Robert Wilson, crushed stone.....	10.00

True S. Swett, use of pump.....	.50
Mead, Mason & Co., crushed stone.....	22.50
W. C. Edwards, crushed stone.....	11.25
Town of Hopkinton, labor.....	4.70
Asa Gage, crushed stone.....	1.25
H. C. Holbrook, crushed stone.....	1.25
E. H. Runnells, crushed stone.....	10.00
Town of Pembroke, repairing bridge.....	33.79
J. L. A. Chellis, crushed stone.....	1.25
Daniel Holden, crushed stone.....	3.00
John S. Moses, crushed stone.....	4.00
John Walker, crushed stone.....	17.50
N. H. Asylum for Insane, crushed stone.....	28.75
Geo. W. Chesley, crushed stone.....	1.25
Lee Bros., labor.....	4.20
Stratton & Co., flushing sewer.....	1.66
Sam'l. S. French, crushed stone.....	1.25
F. M. Knowles, labor.....	1.25
Concord Sewer Dept., labor.....	9.95
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	\$170.50

SEWERS AND DRAINS.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SEWERS AND DRAINS.

To the City Council: The committee on sewers and drains held eight meetings during the year, and the members thereof made frequent inspections of the work while it was in progress. The extension of the "South end sewer," so-called, was the most important work of the season and was built under contract by Mr. John Walker of Newmarket, N. H. Proposals were asked for and the following were received: Lyman R. Fellows & Son and George L. Theobald, Concord, N. H., \$22,513; A. W. Bryne Construction Co., West Medford, Mass, \$20,880; P. H. Harrison & Sons, Hartford, Conn., \$20,459.52; T. H. & G. M. Bryne, West Medford, Mass, \$18,668.92; John Walker, Newmarket, N. H., \$17,861.02. During the year 85 permits for sewer connections were issued by the clerk of the committee. The amount received for rent of pumps was \$90.76 to the credit of the city precinct, and \$7.50 to the credit of the West Concord precinct. No new work was done in the East Concord precinct. In the West Concord precinct a small amount was expended for flushing and ordinary repairs. In the Penacook precinct the usual repairs and flushing were made; none of the outside precincts expended any large amounts during the past season.

PETITIONS RECEIVED AND ACTION TAKEN.

Mary J. Sanders and others, for sewer in Pillsbury street; granted and built.

Charles S. Brown, for sewer in Broadway; granted and built.

F. H. Hill and others, for lowering sewer in Abbott street; petitioners were given leave to withdraw.

W. A. Sleeper and others, for sewer in White street; further time asked.

George H. Morey and others, for sewer in Broadway; granted and built.

W. D. Kimball and others, for sewer in South street; granted and built.

Mead, Maçon & Co., for sewer in Cedar court; granted and built.

Mrs. A. Chase and others, for sewer in Pleasant street; further time asked.

Amos Blanchard and others, for sewer in Warren and Pleasant streets; granted and partially built.

G. J. Johnson and others, for sewer in Clinton street; granted and built.

Levi W. Everett and others, for sewer in Winter street (Penacook); further time asked.

George A. Cummings and others, for sewer in Broadway; granted.

Western Cofran and others, for sewer in North Spring street; granted.

Charles F. Nichols and others, for sewer in Park Ridge and Ridge Road; granted and partially built.

W. B. HOWE,
Clerk of Committee.

ELECTRICAL DEPARTMENT.

To His Honor the Mayor and the City Council:

The work done during the past year under this department has been all that we could reasonably ask for. The several companies have maintained their lines up to the usual good condition.

DEAD WIRES.

There has been a large amount of dead wires taken down that were abandoned by the owners. There still remains a large amount to be removed, and is being cared for as fast as circumstances will permit.

PRIVATE LINES.

I would call the attention of your honorable body again to the custom of granting permits for private lines. It seems to me that there should be some arrangement whereby the permits granted should be referred to the inspector of electric wires, as these lines are often put up by incompetent parties and in a short time abandoned and left to be cared for by the city, and in many cases become a source of danger by their crossing with other wires of a high potential.

In conclusion, I think as a whole, our electrical service will compare favorably with any of a like nature. The city has been free from any accidents caused by electrical wires, either by fire or otherwise, during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

F. W. LANDON,
Inspector of Electrical Wires.

REPORT OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES.

To the City Council:

I herewith submit the report of collection of taxes to the close of business December 31, 1897.

1896 REPORT.

Resident list as committed	\$259,654.42
Errors and omissions (res. list) as per last report	2,673.74
“ “ “ added since last report	103.25
Resident list, as corrected to date, Dec. 31, 1897	\$262,431.41
Non-resident list as committed	934.63
“ “ errors corrected to date, Dec. 31, 1897	1.00
Int. collected at time of last report, Dec. 31, 1896	37.72
“ since last report	885.29
Unadjusted account	25.18
Total	\$264,315.23
Cash paid treasurer as per last report, Dec. 31, 1896	\$218,856.79
Cash paid treasurer since last report to Dec. 31, 1897	34,706.00
Discounts	3,611.31
Abatements as per last report Dec. 31, 1896	4,773.02
Abatements since last report, Dec. 31, 1896 to Dec. 31, 1897	2,008.36
Cash in office Dec. 31, 1897,	3.30
Uncollected*	356.45
Total	\$264,315.23

* Of this amount \$285 is secured by real estate.

1897 REPORT.

Resident list as committed	\$232,743.44
Errors and omissions (resident list)	1,036.56
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Resident list as corrected	\$233,780.00
Non-resident list as committed	957.44
Interest collected to date, Dec. 31, 1897	24.99
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Total	\$234,762.43

Cash paid treasurer	\$193,125.00
Discounts	3,404.02
Abatements	3,151.07
Cash in office at closing Dec. 31, 1897	85.72
Uncollected at closing Dec. 31, 1897	34,996.62
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Total	\$234,762.43

Very respectfully :

WENDELL P. LADD, *Collector.*

Concord, Jan. 10, 1898.

REPORT OF CITY ENGINEER.

To His Honor the Mayor and the City Council of the city of Concord: Gentlemen,—I herewith submit the report of the work done in the city engineer's and sewer departments for the year ending December 31, 1897:

The following statement shows the expenses of the engineer's department for the year:

Paid for salaries,	\$2,457.25
for supplies,	98.49
for repairs,	14.15
for rent,	204.00
for incidentals,	210.08
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	\$2,983.97
Appropriation,	\$3,000.00
Total expenditure,	2,983.97
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Unexpended balance,	\$16.03

The cost attending the construction of all sewers built during the season of 1897 will be found upon the following pages. Considerable time was spent by this department upon the preparation of plans, etc., for the construction of the extension of the "South End sewer," so-called, from the junction of Allison and South streets to the junction of Giles and Centre streets. The greater portion of this sewer was through private property, which was so of necessity, owing to the contour of the city, to meet the demands of the district to be drained.

The completion of this main will relieve a section of the city hitherto without any sewer facilities, which, from a sanitary view, were greatly in need of relief; it also provides an outlet for some years to come, for the westerly portion of the city, which was cut off from the older system of sewers.

The work on this sewer was done under contract, by Mr. John Walker of Newmarket, N. H., at a price about \$4,600 below the bid of local parties. The cost of this work will be found in the statement of cost of sewers attached to this report. Unusual expenses attended the repairs upon the sewers, especially in North State street, at Walker street, and in North Main street, near the store of P. H. Larkin, caused by the excessive rains of the past season.

So much of the time of this department was required on sewer work that the work upon the general survey of the city was cut short, and we were not able to complete the work mapped out for the season.

The demands upon this office for information concerning street lines and grades have steadily increased, and the necessity for saying that the lines of some streets are indefinite, is at times somewhat embarrassing.

I will quote from my report of 1895: "At the time when many of our streets were laid out the value of the land taken was very small, and in many cases the land was given, for the street, by the owners. To-day the values are different, and each abuttor, probably honestly, claims more land than the old records indicate. In many cases the old lines are described as 'starting at a pair of bars and ending near an apple tree,' both the bars and the apple tree have long since disappeared, and the 'oldest inhabitant' has no knowledge of them. In view of these facts I would respectfully recommend that a little work be done, each year, in establishing and permanently marking the lines of some of these streets; this would greatly assist the heads of all departments in their work upon them."

I would again respectfully submit that some of this work should be taken up before further encroachments are made upon the highways.

The employees of this department during the season of 1897 were: Frank W. Brown, assistant engineer; Fred W. Lang, transitman; Charles H. Chandler, H. C. Hill, and C. F. Moore, rodmen, who have cheerfully attended to the duties entrusted to them.

GRADES ESTABLISHED.

West sidewalk, Park Ridge.

East and west sidewalks, Ridge Road.

North sidewalk, Highland street from Bradley street west,
132.5 feet.

West sidewalk, Bradley street from Highland to Albin street.

West sidewalk, Broadway south from Pillsbury street, 350
feet.

South sidewalk, West street opposite L. D. Caldon's.

South sidewalk, Allison street from Eastman to Kimball
street.

West sidewalk, Holt street.

South sidewalk, Abbott street.

South sidewalk, Warren street from Liberty street west.

West sidewalk, Lyndon street from Abbott street northerly,
54 feet.

West sidewalk, Main street (Penacook) from Elm street to
the iron bridge.

South sidewalk, Spring street (Penacook) from Centre street
west.

North sidewalk, Centre street (Penacook) from Spring street
southerly.

South sidewalk, Elm street (Penacook) from Main street
west 137.4 feet.

North sidewalk, Tremont street from State to Jackson street.

South sidewalk, Knight street (West Concord).

South sidewalk, Wyman street.

Wyman street.

West sidewalk, Rumford street from Wyman street southerly.

East and west sidewalks, Glen street.

North sidewalk, Harrison street.

East sidewalk, Liberty street, opposite the premises of C. W.
Clarke.

South sidewalk, Washington street east from Academy street,
81 feet.

East sidewalk, Odd Fellows' avenue.

North sidewalk, Abbott street.

South sidewalk, Washington street, Rumford to Academy street.

East sidewalk, North State street opposite Ola Anderson's.

East sidewalk, Rumford street from Washington street to Abbott street.

East sidewalk, West State street from bound No. 21 to No. 22.

North sidewalk, Centre street from Ridge Road easterly, 132.6 feet.

McKinley street.

West sidewalk, South State street from Harrison street southerly, 132 feet.

South sidewalk, Blake street.

North sidewalk, Allison street from Turnpike to Badger street.

West sidewalk, Mills street from West street to Allison street.

STREET LAID OUT.

McKinley street.

COST OF SEWERS LAID, 1897.

PILLSBURY STREET.

693 feet of 15-inch pipe.

200 feet of 10-inch pipe.

743 feet of 8-inch pipe.

Paid for labor	\$1,932.56
pipe	375.66
brick	47.25
cement	31.05
castings	22.87
wrought iron	1.20
trucking	29.45
hardware	9.55
lumber	10.64
oil	3.90
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	\$2,464.13

Average cost per foot, \$1.506.

Materials excavated, sand and soft clay.

SOUTH STREET FROM PILLSBURY STREET NORTHERLY.

285 feet of 8-inch pipe.

Paid for labor	\$47.00
pipe	40.90
brick	6.75
cement	3.45
castings	7.59
wrought iron43
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	\$106.12

Average cost per foot, \$0.372.

Material excavated, sand and loam.

CEDAR COURT.

267 feet of 10-inch pipe.

Paid for labor	\$71.22
pipe	49.59
brick	6.75
cement	4.60
castings	8.13
wrought iron36
trucking	5.60
repairing concrete walk.....	3.13
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	\$149.38

Average cost per foot, \$0.559.

Material excavated, loam and sand.

REPAIRS.

Beacon street	\$9.00
Goodrich sewer.....	4.85
At B. & M. R. R. new shops.....	30.79
South State street, on account of macadamizing...	92.98
Bradley street.....	17.99
Valley street.....	1.30
North State street, at Walker.....	391.80
Abbott street .....	.30

Tremont street.....	12.85
Ferry street.....	37.65
Third Division outlet.....	19.97
Chandler street.....	3.50
Downing street.....	6.24
South Main street, on account of macadamizing...	4.12
Warren street, 1896 bills.....	12.49
Glen street.....	9.72
Stickney's field.....	67.85
North Main street, at P. H. Larkin's.....	424.68
Highland street.....	4.50
Twenty-inch outlet.....	1.37
Flushing.....	122.10
Tool account.....	378.35
Binding sewer plans.....	1.50
Total repairs.....	<u>\$1,655.90</u>

NEW WORK.

Pillsbury street.....	\$2,464.13
South street.....	106.12
Cedar court.....	149.38
	<u>\$2,719.63</u>
Repairs.....	1,655.90
Total expenditure.....	<u>\$4,375.53</u>
Less materials from city shed.....	33.05
	<u>\$4,342.48</u>
Net amount expended.....	4,220.83
Total appropriation for sewers, city precinct..	<u>\$121.65</u>
Overdrawn.....	

SOUTH END SEWER LATERALS.

Broadway, south from Pillsbury street:	
435 feet of 12-inch pipe.	
Paid for labor.....	\$444.42
pipe.....	97.75

brick	27.00
cement	11.50
castings	15.15
trucking	12.75
wrought iron63
oil	1.00
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	\$610.20

Average cost per foot, \$1.402.

Material excavated, sand and soft clay.

BROADWAY NORTH FROM ALLISON STREET.

480 feet of 10-inch pipe.

Paid for labor	\$107.01
pipe	88.14
brick	6.75
cement	5.75
castings	8.21
trucking	3.75
tools	1.56
oil50
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	\$221.67

Average cost per foot, \$0.461.

Materials excavated, sand.

CLINTON STREET.

300 feet of 10-inch pipe.

Paid for labor	\$126.72
pipe	60.86
brick	6.75
cement	4.60
castings	8.21
wrought iron30
trucking	3.75
oil	1.00
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	\$212.19

Average cost per foot, \$0.707.

Materials excavated, sand and muck.

PARK RIDGE AND RIDGE ROAD.

400 feet of 8-inch pipe.	
Paid for labor	\$245.06
pipe	54.29
brick	6.75
cement	3.45
castings	7.56
trucking	10.20
blacksmithing	38.33
sand	1.10
oil50
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	\$367.24

Average cost per foot, \$0.918.

Material excavated, hard-pan.

WARREN STREET.

Paid L. R. Fellows & Son, under contract	\$512.00
inspector	28.75
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	\$540.75
Balance of contract to be completed in the spring of 1898.	

SOUTH END SEWER.

Paid John Walker, under contract	\$17,861.02
inspector, land damage, and labor, not in contract	495.93
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	\$18,356.92

EXPENDITURES CHARGED TO SOUTH END SEWER
APPROPRIATION.

Main sewer	\$18,356.95
Broadway, south from Pillsbury street	610.20
Broadway, north from Allison street	221.67
Clinton street	212.19

Park Ridge and Ridge Road	367.24
Warren street, under contract	540.75
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	\$20,309.00
Less materials from city shed	87.92
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	\$20,221.08

APPROPRIATION.

Sale of bonds	\$25,000.00
Premium on bonds	1,356.50
Interest on bonds	226.04
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Total	\$26,582.54
Expended	20,221.08
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Unexpended balance, Jan. 1, 1898	\$6,361.46

SEWERS BUILT, 1897.

8-inch pipe.....	2,043	feet.
10-inch "	1,247	"
12-inch "	891	"
15-inch "	693	"
18-inch "	892	"
24-inch brick, circular.....	1,515.5	"
24-inch cast-iron pipe.....	1,576	"
30-inch brick, circular.....	316	"
30-inch cast-iron pipe.....	1,054.5	"
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Total.....	10,228	"

SEWERS BUILT IN CITY PRECINCT TO DECEMBER
31, 1897.

8-inch pipe.....	19,512	feet.
10-inch "	42,160	"
12-inch "	36,024	"
15-inch "	10,627	"
18-inch "	5,514	"
20-inch "	3,434	"
24-inch "	1,749	"

30-inch pipe.....	969	feet.
Brick, 12-inch x 14-inch.....	2,758	"
16-inch x 24-inch.....	1,848	"
14-inch x 22-inch.....	350	"
20-inch x 32-inch.....	2,527	"
24-inch x 36-inch.....	17,937	"
28-inch x 48-inch.....	883	"
24-inch circular.....	1,515.5	"
30-inch ".....	402	"
38-inch ".....	4,080	"
24-inch cast-iron pipe.....	1,576	"
30-inch " ".....	1,054.5	"
Total.....	154,920	"

Total miles in city precinct, to date, 29.340.

WEST CONCORD SEWER PRECINCT.

No new sewers have been built in this precinct the past season. The cost of maintenance is as follows:

Paid for flushing.....	\$8.50
repairs at outlets.....	5.33
Total.....	\$13 83
Balance on hand, January 1, 1897.....	\$1,205.01
Rent of pumps, 1896.....	11.00
" " 1897.....	7.50
Total credits.....	\$1,223.51
Expended, 1897.....	13.83
Balance, January 1, 1898.....	\$1,209.68

EAST CONCORD SEWER PRECINCT.

No work has been done in this precinct the past season.

The unexpended balance of last year remains \$164.51.

The demands from other departments of the city for services, have, so far as we were able, been promptly responded to, and

we have met with the same treatment when we have had occasion to apply to them for information or services.

I wish to express to the mayor and the city council my appreciation of their support and co-operation during the past season.

Respectfully submitted,

W. B. HOWE,
City Engineer.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES.

To the City Council: The trustees of the Public Library herewith transmit the report of the librarian, which contains a full account of the work done during the past year. It is fitting that at this time and place the services of Judge Foster, so long a member of this board, be suitably remembered. His death left a vacancy not easily filled, for he ever took an active and sympathetic interest in the welfare of the library, and it was, perhaps, the only public institution which so much occupied his thought. His eminence as an advocate and jurist has been commemorated by the bar of which he was a leader, in resolutions recorded by the court of which he had been a distinguished member, and his many sterling qualities were known to every citizen; but we cannot refrain from expressing for him our personal regard. We shall not soon forget the simple and gracious dignity with which he presided at our meetings, imparting to all present that subtle, pervasive influence of harmony and human interest which is unconsciously diffused by such rich natures. He was known to every one as a learned and eloquent lawyer and as a polished gentleman; but he was also a man of fine literary tastes, and a discriminating reader of the best books; and the shelves of the Library owe no small part of the richness of their accumulations to his cultivated judgment.

It is hardly necessary for us to commend the work of the librarian and her assistants, for the public have daily experience of their zeal and fidelity and are fully conscious of the patience and courtesy with which their wants are served.

CHARLES H. SANDERS,
JOHN E. FRYE,
PAUL R. HOLDEN,
JOHN M. MITCHELL,
AMOS J. SHURTLEFF.
JAMES S. NORRIS,
WILLIAM W. FLINT,
EDSON J. HILL,
MOSES H. BRADLEY.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN.

To the Board of Trustees of the Concord Public Library:

Gentlemen: The forty-first annual report of the library is herewith presented:

The past year has been a normal one; 1895 and 1896 saw accomplished proportionately more work than has been reported by any other library in the land. But during 1897 only one large piece of work has been done, and that was pushed through in four months. I refer to the printing of the fiction finding-list. Care was taken before printing to buy standard stories which by inadvertence were not already on our shelves.

The more difficult task of preparing copy for a non-fiction catalogue has already begun, and to complete that will be the main work of 1898. As it would be a pity to put in black and white those departments of the library which are now short of material, we shall, before printing, compare our shelves with the list of the model library shown at the World's Fair, and with other approved lists, and spend thought and money in buying the leading books we do not already possess. For a few months before arranging our final copy, recommendations from experts as to the best works in their departments will be welcomed and solicited.

After the entire contents of the library are again in print, as they will be through the printing of the non-fiction, persons living at a distance will not be at the disadvantage they now are compared with those who can come easily to consult the card catalogue.

Yet here let me state that it has been a surprise to see the number who prefer to use the cards when selecting fiction, even though a printed list of the same books lies at their elbow.

1897 not only reverted to more nearly an average year's work in general ways, but the circulation declined from last year's figures, though it still gives Concord the lead in the state. We

echo the words of Brooklyn's librarian when he says: "I would like to inquire whether the bicycle has caused any decrease of reading. Nearly everyone rides a wheel in these days, and it would seem that this takes some of the time formerly devoted to literature."

For the first time in the history of the library, registration of the circulation by classes has been taken, and the result shows that in 1897 Concord's use of fiction was 85 per cent out of the total 100; the circulation of magazines was over 5 per cent, of literature over 2 per cent, of history (including biography) over 3 per cent; of the remaining classes, philosophy, religion, sociology, philology, natural science, useful arts, and fine arts, less than 1 per cent.

It is to be hoped that a growing use of the non-fiction card, which has already been enjoyed by hundreds, will reduce this large percentage of fiction reading.

It is now the custom for libraries to accord teachers the privilege of taking several books on science, history, etc., to their school-rooms, that lessons may be enlivened and the pupils glean different items to recite. Concord teachers will find us striving to bring about this modern close union between schools and library.

It is gratifying that we have almost 600 new borrowers. It has been a pleasure to have many of the men newly employed at the railroad shops, apply for library cards. Our reading-room is more than full on cold Sunday afternoons.

And most gratifying of all the statistics is the record of only 2 books lost out of the 85,000 circulated. The librarian and delinquents could tell at what cost of mutual worriment this loss of city property is reduced so low.

A large number of books have been discarded as too soiled and torn for further loaning, and have been sent to a contagious hospital where they are read once and burned. Many old duplicate periodicals have been given to places where they may have further usefulness.

A dirty and dreaded task was finished last month,—the sorting of the heterogeneous mass of material in the basement; government publications, duplicates, newspapers, pamphlets, city

and state papers, have been looked over one by one and catalogued so as to become a live part of the library's resources.

There is now nothing under this roof which has not passed in review and been subjected to the question whether it was creditable.

The roof itself needs your wise attention directed to its repair.

The outside of the building looks well with its new coat of paint, and the inside we are trying to make strike the incomer as progressive, whether he regard the practical appliances, the lessening of barriers, or our latest list of books.

The "Monitor" and "Patriot" have kindly continued to publish our purchases, and these lists are eagerly seized upon by all. I send copies to be hung up in Penacook, West Concord and East Concord.

Grateful mention should be made of the gift from Mrs. Armenia White of the valuable "National Cyclopaedia of American Biography," a 12-volume work. We are indebted to her also for subscriptions to "The Woman's Journal" and "The Philanthropist."

Other regular donations to the reading room are as follows:

Anti-vivisection organ.

Boston & Maine Railroad Men, from Railroad Y. M. C. A.

Christian Register from Woman's Unitarian Alliance.

Christian Science Journal from Mrs. Eddy.

Cook's Excursionist.

Denver Evening Post.

Good Roads from League American Wheelmen.

Granite State Outlook from W. C. T. U.

Manifesto from Shakers.

New Earth.

Paradise of the Pacific.

Revue des Deux Mondes from Mr. S. C. Eastman.

Tennessee Univ. Magazine.

Southern Workman from Miss M. A. Downing.

Unitarian from Miss M. A. Downing.

Union Signal from W. C. T. U.

Volunteer from High School.

War Cry from Salvation Army.

Donors of books which have been accessioned in 1897 are Mr. H. H. Metcalf, Mr. John Kimball, Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, Mrs. Eddy, Mrs. Helen Kendrick Johnson, Mrs. Carrie J. Blanchard, Mr. T. W. Balch, Mrs. A. M. Potter, the U. S. Government and City and State Departments.

Though the gentlemen of the Board are the ones to speak most fittingly of the services rendered the library by Judge Wm. L. Foster, for 14 years president of the trustees, I wish to add the librarian's tribute to his courteous, encouraging treatment of our staff.

The assistance of the rest of the library corps has continued most commendable. And gratitude is due the trustees for their faith that our planning and working has had only one aim—the good of the public.

Respectfully submitted,

GRACE BLANCHARD.

SANITARY DEPARTMENT.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

To His Honor the Mayor and the City Council: Gentlemen,
—The report of the sanitary inspector which is herewith submitted, covers in detail the work of the health department during the year 1897. The statistics therein contained, show that our city was unusually fortunate during the year in all matters pertaining to the public health. The number of deaths resulting from diseases of a contagious nature was remarkably small, and our people were spared any serious epidemic of any character. The board are of the opinion that Concord's immunity in this respect, in comparison with other cities of equal population, can be accounted for in great part by the co-operation given by the public generally in carrying out the rules and regulations which municipal and state enactment has provided for safe-guarding the public health.

The work of the department has been carried on throughout the year without friction, and all matters requiring attention have been considered by the board and acted upon, without recourse to higher authority than that vested in the board.

The advancement each year in the compliance by the public with the sanitary regulations of the city is notable, and can but result in excellent sanitary conditions. In no respect is this more marked than in the faithfulness with which the regulations affecting quarantine are observed. On several occasions during the year, cases of contagious diseases appeared in localities and amid surroundings which would be likely to result in serious epidemics but for the greatest care by every one in guarding against the spread of contagion. In more than one in-

stance serious results could only be avoided by the greatest painstaking on the part of the infected families. It may be noted in this connection that a large number of the cases of contagious diseases which are brought to the attention of the health department owe their origin to exposure in other towns and cities, and our people are cautioned against carelessly imparting contagion in this manner. Especially is this important in the case of young persons leaving their homes to enter educational institutions.

The board has been unable to find a proper substitute for sulphur fumigation, although no effort has been spared in the direction of investigating the most promising agent offered,—formaldehyde.

A method adopted by the board to determine the efficiency of this proposed substitute is explained at length in the report of the sanitary officer.

Only words of commendation can be spoken for the faithfulness, industry and efficiency of Charles E. Palmer, sanitary inspector. He has carried out to the letter the instructions given him by this board, and has shown at all times the same fitness for his position, which the board have taken occasion to comment upon in former reports. The amount of labor which the sanitary inspector must perform in the discharge of the manifold duties imposed upon him requires earnest, constant and wisely directed efforts, and these, as the statistics of his report show, have not been withheld in any direction.

His report gives evidence that the improvement in the sanitary condition effected by the substitution of modern plumbing and drainage for the older and unsanitary systems shows no diminution, and the excellent sewerage system which the city has provided at a large expense, is taken advantage of by a very large percentage of property owners. The board has not departed during the year from its long established policy of insisting upon strict compliance with the regulations affecting house drainage, and in very few cases have its efforts in this direction met with opposition. The extension of the South End sewer, so-called, relieves that growing and beautiful section of our city from a serious impediment to development, and carries out sug-

gestions often made to this board and by it embodied in its annual reports. The results of analyses of Penacook water procured by the sanitary inspector with the approval of this board, demonstrate anew the excellence of Concord's water supply. The circumstances under which the samples were procured and the known ability of the chemist who has reported upon them, give great weight to the conclusions reached.

The thanks of the board are due his honor the mayor and your honorable body for co-operation given them throughout the year, and for courtesies extended to the board and its executive officer.

The bacteriological examination in the cases of patients suspected of having diphtheria have been attended throughout the year with results fully warranting this method of procedure. The board consider themselves very fortunate in having at their command the services of Dr. Arthur K. Day as bacteriologist. The fact of his residence in our city gives an advantage of several hours in the time necessary to determine the character of the cultures submitted for examination, and the board are thus able to learn of the presence of danger with the least possible delay.

E. A. CLARK, M. D.

E. N. PEARSON,

D. E. SULLIVAN, M. D.

Board of Health.

REPORT OF SANITARY INSPECTOR.

To the Board of Health:

I herewith submit my report as health officer for the year ending December 31, 1897, and present a summary of the work accomplished under your honorable body. Animated by an earnest wish to be able to cope successfully with the various difficulties that surround this important branch of the public service, my labors have been directed towards one common end,—to promote the public health, and to make more secure, day by day, the life, health and comfort of every citizen.

The work has proceeded during the year with almost absolute smoothness. We still can boast of a remarkably healthful city, as the year's record of vital statistics will show, and in comparison with that of other cities similarly situated. The total number of deaths was 349, the death rate being 13.95 per one thousand. In making up the death rate, deaths in public institutions and still-births are not included.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES.

The following table shows the number of contagious diseases reported during each month of the year, and the deaths resulting therefrom:

MONTHS.	DIPH- THERIA.		SCARLET FEVER.		*TYPHOID FEVER.		MEASLES.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
January.....	9	1	11	.....	2	.....	12	.....
February.....	1	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	22	.....
March.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	17	.....
April.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....
May.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	11	.....
June.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	.....
July.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22	.....
August.....	1	.....	1	.....	4	.....	11	.....
September.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	1	6	.....
October.....	2	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	4	.....
November.....	.....	.....	2	1	2	1	.....	.....
December.....	.....	.....	1	.....	2	.....	1	.....
Totals.....	13	1	22	1	17	2	138	.....

*Typhoid fever brought to hospital from other places, ten; deaths, two.

COMPARATIVE TABLE.

The table following contains the number of cases of contagious diseases and the deaths resulting therefrom for the years since and including 1890:

YEARS.	DIPH- THERIA.		SCARLET FEVER.		TYPHOID FEVER.		MEASLES.		TOTALS.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
1890.....	6	2	9	.....	17	5	6	.....	38	7
1891.....	12	3	7	.....	14	6	2	.....	35	9
1892.....	13	8	37	3	7	1	2	.....	59	7
1893.....	48	.....	41	.....	13	.....	300	.....	402	.....
1894.....	17	3	113	6	13	3	21	.....	164	12
1895.....	38	8	44	8	21	3	158	.....	256	19
1896.....	55	8	4	.....	15	5	452	.....	526	13
1897.....	13	1	22	1	17	2	138	.....	190	4

By a glance at the above table it will be seen that the number of cases of contagious diseases reported has increased since 1893, from the fact that an act of the legislature requiring physicians to report measles, and increases the penalty, for the failure of any householder or physician to report any of the above named cases to the board of health.

For the years 1890, 1891, 1892, but 37 cases of diphtheria were reported, with 8 deaths; in 1893, 1894, 1895, 1896, 1897, 171 cases were reported, with but 20 deaths, proving that in other diseases as well as in diphtheria, many cases existed up to the year 1893 which were not reported. The regulations for the restriction and prevention of such diseases have been effectually enforced with as little inconvenience to the people affected as possible. I have seen to it that all persons were supplied with the actual necessities of life, and very little hardship has resulted from the enforcement of the regulations.

The same method in making cultures from throats of patients

suspected of having diphtheria, has been continued during the year. Such work if properly done, cannot fail to be of great benefit, both in diagnosis of doubtful cases and also in determining the time at which patients suffering from the disease are no longer capable of transmitting it. Eighty-four bacteriological examinations have been made. Thirteen proved to be positive, nineteen negative, and fifty-two were re-examinations to determine when it was safe to discharge the patient. The expense for this branch of our work the past year has been \$134.45.

SCARLET FEVER.

Scarlet fever prevailed in a mild form during the months of January, February, March, May, August, November, and December. Several cases which appeared at Millville were the cause of some anxiety, but they were immediately quarantined and the spread of the disease was thus prevented.

TYPHOID FEVER.

As will be seen by reference to the table, there has been about the usual number of cases of typhoid fever, which were not confined to any particular locality. In response to several requests two analyses of the public water supply were made: Analysis No. 1 taken from West Concord; analysis No. 2, taken from the Reservoir.

SANITARY ANALYSES OF WATER.

FOR HEALTH OFFICER CHARLES E. PALMER, CONCORD, N. H.

SAMPLE NO. 1.

[The figures in the analysis represent parts per 100,000. To convert into parts per million, multiply by 10; into parts per U. S. gallon, by 0.583722; into parts per English gallon, by 0.7.]

ODOR.—Scarcely any.

COLOR.—Slightly yellowish.

TRANSPARENCY.—Clear.

BEHAVIOR DURING EVAPORATION.—Foamy.

APPEARANCE OF RESIDUE.—Nearly white with circles.

TOTAL SOLIDS.—5.8.

The amount of solids in water, sanitarily pure, varies greatly. Good well

water in this state seldom contains more than 15 parts. Good pond water contains less than half of this quantity.

IGNITION OF RESIDUE.—It blackens.

The residue blackens in proportion to the amount of organic carbon present, provided there is no excess of nitrates. Nitrates are present excessively more often in animal polluted waters; hence the residue of such waters blackens less than that of vegetable contaminated waters, both because animal matter contains less carbon as a rule, and because the nitrates supply oxygen to consume it quickly. Vegetable carbon often blackens intensely and the blackening persists.

Loss of Ignition of Residue.—1.2.

This consists of the combustible and volatile portion of the organic matter, and volatile mineral substances,—carbonic acid, nitric acid, water of crystallization, zinc, and other volatile metals. The proportion of mineral solids is larger in well water than in pond water, because well water settling through the earth has come in contact with more soluble minerals. On the other hand, pond water contains more organic solids, because the soluble organic matter received from the surface of the ground has not been removed by the filtering action of earthy strata. It is seldom that the character and quantity of natural, mineral solids condemn a water. Vegetable matter is less harmful than animal matter. Both are more harmful in well water than in pond water, because light and sunshine tend to destroy deadly germs.

HARDNESS.—1.8.

ALKALINITY.—1.0.

The figures are given in terms of carbonate of lime, i. e., so many parts of carbonate of lime would give the same figures. Hardness and alkalinity give considerable information about the mineral constitution of water and often concerning its sanitary condition. Hardness is due chiefly to the salts of lime and magnesia, most often, their carbonates and sulphates. Alkalinity is caused only by their carbonates, or by the carbonates of potash, soda, ammonia, or some other alkali. Water hard from the salts of lime and magnesia, other than their carbonates, shows no alkalinity, unless the substances last named above are present. The carbonates of lime, or magnesia, give nearly the same degree of hardness and alkalinity, lime especially. Sewage increases the alkalinity which then becomes an indication of pollution.

FREE CARBONIC ACID.—2.20.

COMBINED AND BICARBONATE CARBONIC ACID.—.38.

As the largest part of organic matter is carbon, so the largest product of decay is carbonic acid. Natural waters are weak solutions of carbonic acid. Through its agency the carbonates of lime, magnesia, iron, lead, and zinc, are dissolved and kept in solution in water. Expel the carbonic acid by boiling and these carbonates precipitate, rendering the water turbid and forming a scale on the kettle. Water which contains much decaying organic matter, contains much carbonic acid; hence polluted water attacks lead pipe more freely than pure water. Combined carbonic acid is that which is united with a metallic base, forming a carbonate; bicarbonate carbonic acid holds the carbonate in solution; the free carbonic acid is that which is simply dissolved in water.

FREE AMMONIA.—0.0024.

ALBUMINOID AMMONIA.—0.0216.

Ammonia results from the decomposition of organic matter; the free, is that which the natural process of decay has produced, and points to what extent decay has been going on in the water; the albuminoid results from the artificial decomposition of organic matter during analysis and points to the quantity of organic matter actually present. In good well water the albuminoid ammonia should not exceed 0.009 part, and in good pond water 0.015 part. In neither should the free ammonia exceed 0.005 part.

CHLORINE.—0.2.

Chlorine is a constituent of common salt. Sewage is rich in salt, hence the value of chlorine as an indication of pollution. Good water should not contain more than 0.5 part of it, unless the locality is near the sea coast, or is naturally rich in salt.

NITRIC ACID.—0.05.

This is a constituent of saltpetre which is produced by the fermentation of manures and sewage. Good well water should not contain more than 0.5 part of it, and pond water not more than 0.02. Excess of chlorine, or nitric acid, in water always indicates either actual contamination, or dangerous proximity to sources of filth. In this case, the water contains filtered sewage. Nitric acid often results from the oxidation of ammonia, or vegetable matter. If the quantity of chlorine is normal while the nitric acid is excessive, the water is probably contaminated with vegetable matter, unless other results deny it.

NITROUS ACID.—None.

This is a lower oxide of nitrogen than nitric acid. It is a transition product between ammonia, or organic matter, and nitric acid. Its presence shows that the source of pollution is so near that time enough has not elapsed for the complete oxidation of its nitrogen in its progress toward the water supply. Good water should contain none of it, or but a mere trace.

OXYGEN CONSUMED IN OXIDATION.—0.284.

Good well water should require less than 0.1 part of oxygen, and good pond water less than 0.2 for the oxidation of its dissolved organic matter. In no case should it exceed 0.4. Some bad waters may require less than 0.05 part. Vegetable material, comparatively richer in carbon than animal substances, requires more oxygen for oxidation; while animal substances, being richer in nitrogen, yield more ammonia and other nitrogen compounds.

POISONOUS METALS.—None.

Water should not contain more than 0.03 part of lead, or copper, or more than 0.05 part zinc.

IRON.—Strong trace.

Good water ought not to contain more than 0.1 part iron.

SEDIMENT.—Considerable.

Good water should deposit no sediment, or scarcely any.

MICROSCOPIC EXAMINATION AND BIOLOGICAL CHARACTER OF SEDIMENT.—Fresh water plants—Infusoria.**NUMBER OF BACTERIA PER CUBIC CENTIMETRE GROWING AT BLOOD TEMPERATURE IN ALKALINE AGAR MEDIUM.—11.****NUMBER OF BACTERIA PER CUBIC CENTIMETRE GROWING AT BLOOD TEMPERATURE IN AGAR MEDIUM CONTAINING PARIETTI'S SOLUTION.—None.**

Disease germs grow at the temperature of the body. Many harmless bacteria also flourish at this temperature. If a sample of water contains none which grow at this temperature, disease germs are evidently absent. The disease germ more usually found in waters of this latitude is the typhoid bacillus. The bacillus coli communis, whose original habitat is in the intestines, though not strictly a disease germ, is preëminently the sewage bacterium, and consequently all waters in which it is found should be condemned. The presence of any other sewage bacterium should also condemn a water for drinking purposes. The typhoid bacillus, the coli communis, and a few others will grow in agar medium, containing Parietti's solution, but to distinguish and identify them, special cultures and examinations must be made. Bacteria multiply very rapidly after water is taken from its source and raised to summer temperature. Since the kind of bacteria is more important than their number, the delay necessarily caused by transportation of the sample if not too long, is favorable instead of objectionable, because a very few disease

germs in a large quantity of water might escape discovery, but detention of them would be much more certain after their multiplication.

DISEASE GERMS.—None.

There is more albuminoid ammonia, and more oxygen is required for oxidation than desirable, but the organic matter in solution is vegetable, and I think in this case it does not render the water injurious.

EDMUND R. ANGELL.

December 8, 1897.

SAMPLE NO. 2.

ODOR.—Scarcely any.

COLOR.—Little yellowish.

TRANSPARENCY.—Clear.

BEHAVIOR DURING EVAPORATION.—Foamy.

APPEARANCE OF RESIDUE.—Little yellowish and circles.

TOTAL SOLIDS.—4.0.

IGNITION OF RESIDUE.—It blackens.

LOSS OF IGNITION OF RESIDUE.—1.6.

HARDNESS.—1.8.

ALKALINITY.—1.0.

FREE CARBONIC ACID.—1.36.

COMBINED AND BICARBONATE CARBONIC ACID.—.88.

FREE AMMONIA.—0.0064.

ALBUMINOID AMMONIA.—0.0204.

CHLORINE.—0.2.

NITRIC ACID.—0.05.

NITROUS ACID.—None.

OXYGEN CONSUMED IN OXIDATION.—0.271.

POISONOUS METALS.—None.

IRON.—Strong trace.

SEDIMENT.—Some.

MICROSCOPIC EXAMINATION AND BIOLOGICAL CHARACTER OF SEDIMENT.—
Mineral particles—Diatoms—Fresh water vegetation.

NUMBER OF BACTERIA PER CUBIC CENTIMETRE GROWING AT BLOOD TEMPERATURE IN ALKALINE AGAR MEDIUM.—9.

NUMBER OF BACTERIA PER CUBIC CENTIMETRE GROWING AT BLOOD TEMPERATURE IN AGAR MEDIUM CONTAINING PARIETTI'S SOLUTION.—None.

DISEASE GERMS.—None.

The same remarks apply to this as to No. 1.

EDMUND R. ANGELL.

December 8, 1897.

MEASLES.

During the year the prevalence of measles has not been as great as in 1896, and no deaths resulted therefrom. I think nearly all the cases were reported. Although there are many cases that are not seen by any physician, householders have been prompt to comply with the law, in reference to reporting such cases.

DISINFECTION.

The work of disinfection has been carried on as heretofore. Much attention has been given by our bacteriologist, Dr. A. K. Day, and myself to testing the practical use of formaldehyde gas. Dr. Day says of our experiments:

"At the suggestion of Mr. Palmer, some experiments have been made during the past year to determine the efficacy of formaldehyde gas as a disinfectant, when produced by some of the apparatus at present in the market. The conditions aimed at were such as would exist in any ordinary dwelling to be disinfected,—small rooms of a capacity of 800 to 1,600 cubic feet, with simply such closing of leaks as could be easily effected, no attempt being made to make the apartments air-tight. The lamps used were the Moffatt formaldehyde generator and Professor Robinson's formaldehyde lamp. Two quarts of wood alcohol were used in each experiment. The tests consisted of exposing cultures of various disease germs to the action of the gas.

"In some instances glass slides smeared with the cultures were used; in others, sterile culture tubes of blood serum were inoculated with the bacteria and freely exposed to the gas. In no case was the experiment a success, as far as disinfection was concerned; the inoculated tubes, after an exposure of twelve hours or more to the formaldehyde vapor, produced an abundant growth when placed in the incubator at 37 degrees Centigrade, while the culture tubes inoculated from the slides that had been exposed, produced equally abundant cultures. These experiments repeated several times, and always with the same result, have rendered me very skeptical as to the safety of adopting any of the formaldehyde generators at present on the market."

HOSPITAL FOR CONTAGIOUS DISEASES.

The importance of establishing a hospital for persons suffering with disease dangerous to the public health has been recommended and discussed in your annual reports. While the need of such an institution may not have been so great during the past year, such a hospital is absolutely needed, and should be in

readiness to perform its functions in times of need, becoming a means of protection to the community at large. I again present this subject for your early consideration.

NUISANCES, COMPLAINTS, INSPECTIONS.

The number and nature of requests for investigation and complaint of existing nuisances, and those found by house inspection, are shown by the following table:

Accumulation of decayed fruit, coal ashes.....	22
Bad well-water.....	1
Bad sink-drainage.....	15
Broken sewer-traps.....	7
Catch-basins not trapped.....	19
Dead animals.....	23
Decayed meat and fish.....	9
Defect in house-sewer.....	7
Dumping rubbish.....	23
Dropping manure in street.....	5
Defective plumbing.....	22
Filthy stables.....	11
Filthy cellars.....	9
Filthy swill barrels.....	3
Filthy yards.....	16
Filthy alleyways.....	7
Foul and offensive cesspools.....	9
Keeping hogs.....	10
Keeping hens.....	9
Offensive manure-heaps.....	10
Offensive privy-vaults.....	45
Odors arising from water.....	10
Offensive odor in house.....	24
Offensive odors from stables.....	9
Privy vaults full.....	23
Private sewers obstructed.....	11
Sinks found without traps.....	8
Sewer-gas in house.....	3
Stagnant water on vacant lots.....	5
Street-sewer obstructed.....	7

Sewers not properly ventilated.....	11
Slaughter houses.....	3
Surface sink-drains.....	7
Throwing swill in alleyways.....	3
Throwing swill in ash-barrels.....	8
Throwing ashes in street.....	4
Throwing slops into street.....	2
Water-closets without water supply.....	11
Water-closets foul and offensive.....	15
Water-closets not ventilated.....	9
Water-closets out of repair.....	7
Water in cellars.....	27
Sewerage backed into cellars.....	27
Total	516

The fore-going complaints include the main sources of nuisance in the city.

No matter how trivial a complaint may be, or in what form it is presented, it has received careful investigation, and orders have been issued for abatement.

It is worthy of note that in not a single instance has it been necessary to invoke the penalties of the law in order to secure compliance with its requirements, which is certainly very creditable to our citizens.

HOUSE INSPECTION.

The inspection of blocks and dwellings has been done as thoroughly as time would allow. With the calls for the inspection of premises complained of, the inspection of private sewers, care of contagious diseases, and the amount of work required in the office, it is impossible for the health officers to inspect the entire city annually. I have endeavored to carry on this work where it appeared that the most improvement in the sanitary condition of premises could be made. The removal of vaults and substitution of water-closets, the ventilation of house plumbing, and the addition of traps under fixtures, have been marked features in the improvement noted. A striking practice disclosed by these examinations is the placing of water-

closets in cellars under stairs, and in dark halls where daylight and ventilation cannot well be secured. These examinations have shown poor construction and repairs in old houses, and faulty construction in new ones also. The question of more stringent regulations for this work has often been recommended to the city council, as the board of health has no authority to order any special kind or quality of work and can only insist that leaks shall be stopped.

PREMISES INSPECTED.

Private dwellings.....	89
Tenement houses.....	174
Stores	67
Stables	49
Markets	5
Factories	8
Hotels	2
Schoolhouses	15
Business blocks.....	47
Alleyways	33
Inspections made at Penacook lake.....	12
Inspections made at reservoir.....	26
Total	527

SEWER INSPECTION.

In compliance with the provision and requirement of the city ordinance, ninety-seven sewer inspections have been made, providing for 105 buildings. A complete record has been filed in the office of the board of health and copies sent monthly to the city council. These records are found to be of much service to persons who are obliged to dig up the sewer on account of obstruction or other causes. The following table shows the various sizes and kinds of pipe used:

	1,126	feet	of	15	inch	akron	pipe
	359	"	"	8	"	"	"
	935	"	"	6	"	"	"
	4,208	"	"	5	"	"	"

528	feet	of	4	inch	Akron	pipe
65	"	"	8	"	iron	"
125	"	"	5	"	"	"
200	"	"	4	"	"	"
50	"	"	2	"	"	"

A total of 7,596 feet, or an average of about 79 feet for each lateral sewer.

This amount of drainage has been furnished to the following classes of buildings:

Private dwellings.....	47
Tenement houses.....	42
Business blocks.....	9
Factories	5
Churches	1
Stables	1
Total	105
Water-closets put in.....	154
Privies abolished.....	81
Cesspools abolished.....	24
Surface drains abolished.....	29

SEWERAGE SYSTEM.

Additions to this system have been made in various parts of the city, the most important ones being the so-called "South End" sewer, which extends to the west end of the city and will provide for a large number of dwellings and public institutions. Fifteen houses have already been connected and many others will avail themselves of the opportunity as soon as the season opens the coming year.

SUMMARY.

Houses placarded in cases of contagious diseases.....	149
Placards removed.....	149
Visits made to cases of contagious disease.....	646
Funerals attended.....	2
Rooms fumigated.....	184
Pieces of bedding burned.....	63

Pieces of clothing disinfected at pest-house.....	147
Pounds of sulphur used in fumigating.....	450
Burial permits issued.....	70
Burial permits issued to non-residents.....	70
Transfer permits issued.....	105
Certificates issued for children to return to school.....	53
Peppermint tests of plumbing made.....	21
Number of reports of contagious diseases sent to state board of health.....	52
Number of monthly mortuary reports sent in exchange to other cities.....	984

A table appended exhibits the mortuary statistics for the year 1897.

I most respectfully return sincere thanks to his honor the mayor and members of the city council, to the board of health, and to other city officials for many courtesies shown me in dealing with matters relating to the health department.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES E. PALMER,
Sanitary Inspector.

MORTALITY REPORT.

Mortality Report for the Year ending December 31, 1897.

Sex.	Months.												Whole Number.				Ages.															
	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Unknown.	Males.	Females.	Unknown.	Totals.	Under 1.	1 to 5.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 30.	30 to 40.	40 to 50.	50 to 60.	60 to 70.	70 to 80.	Over 80.	Unknown.		
CAUSES OF DEATH.																																
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F.		1							Gastro-enteritis.....	1	2	1	1					
F.	2	1	8	2	1	2			Heart disease.....	19	36	2	1	2	1		2	6
M.	2	2	1	6	4	1	1		Heart disease.....	17		1			1	1	8	10
F.									Heart failure.....			1						1
F.	1	1							Hemiplegia.....	2	2	2				1	1	
F.								2	Hemorrhage.....	2	2						2	
F.								1	Herpes zoster.....	1	1	1						1
M.	1								Inanition.....	1	1	1						
M.		1							Influenza.....	1	1	1				1		
F.									Intestinal catarrh.....									
M.							1		Intestinal catarrh.....	1	1	1						
F.									Jaundice.....	2	2						2	
F.		1				1			La grippe.....	4					1		8	
M.		2					1		La grippe.....	8	7					1	2	
F.									Malaria.....							1		
M.								1	Malaria.....	1	1							
P.									Maniacal exhaustion.....	1	1				1			
F.	2								Marasmus.....	2					1			1
M.							2		Marasmus.....	2	4	2						
F.		1	2			1	3		Meningitis.....	7		1	1		1	8	1	
M.	2	1	2			1			Meningitis.....	11	18	5	2	1		2	1	
F.									Myocarditis	1	1	1				1		
F.							1		Lungs, congestion of.....	2	2	2						
M.									Lungs, congestion of.....									
F.	1								Nephritis.....	1						1		
F.									Nephritis.....	2	3					1		1

Mortality Report.—Continued.

Sex.	Months.												Whole Number.			Ages.																	
	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Unknown.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	Males.	Females.	Unknown.	Total.	Under 1.	1 to 5.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 30.	30 to 40.	40 to 50.	50 to 60.	60 to 70.	70 to 80.	Over 80.	Unknown.		
F.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	3	1	8	Old age.....	10	6	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	5	.....
M.	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Old age.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	3	.....
F.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Pancreatitis.....	1	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
F.	3	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Paralysis.....	11	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	5	.....	.....
M.	1	1	1	1	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Paralysis.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	1	.....
F.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Phthisis.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
M.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Phthisis.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
F.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Pleurisy.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
F.	2	1	5	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	2	Pneumonia.....	13	1	1	2	4
M.	8	4	2	2	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	Pneumonia.....	15	1	3	2
F.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Pneumonia-typhoides.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
M.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Piles.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
F.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Poisoned.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
M.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Poisoned.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
F.	1	1	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Premature births.....	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
M.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Premature births.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
M.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Prostate, disease of.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
F.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Pulmonary oedema.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
F.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Pyæmia.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

REPORT OF CITY PHYSICIAN.

To His Honor the Mayor and City Council:

I have the honor to submit herewith my first annual report for the year ending December 31, 1897:

Number of visits.....	59
Children vaccinated.....	36
Office consultations.....	3

Respectfully,

CHANCEY ADAMS,
City Physician.

POOR DEPARTMENT.

THIRTIETH

ANNUAL REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF THE POOR FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1897.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The undersigned herewith submits the thirtieth annual report of expenditures for the poor, including Wards 1 and 2, for the year ending December 31, 1897, as follows:

Families and individuals having a settlement in the city have been aided, in part or in full, during the time, to the amount set opposite their respective names.

Glanville Tonkin.....	\$ 20.00
Mrs. Thomas H. Clark.....	313.67
Samuel Truett.....	42.20
Elmer S. Quimby.....	13.97
Peter Keenan.....	26.50
Mrs. Charles Dennen.....	32.58
Dennis Donovan.....	15.70
Ernest Beliveau, paid State Industrial School	78.00
James Clinton.....	14.00
Lydia S. Couch.....	21.40
Mrs. J. B. Tyler.....	14.80
George V. Perry.....	15.00
Elizabeth R. Curtice.....	12.00
Mrs. G. S. Wilson.....	6.17
William S. Paige.....	12.00
Patrick Keenan paid St. Patrick's Orphan- age	21.67
Josiah Littlefield paid County of Cheshire	81.35
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	\$741.01

COUNTY POOR.

Mrs. Stephen Young.....	\$ 5.81
James H. T. Craigue.....	133.11
Kate Dornan.....	104.94
Mrs. A. E. Hoyt.....	68.58
Mrs. O. Philbrick.....	76.96
Mary Byrne.....	84.00
J. W. Richardson.....	8.00
Bridget Collins.....	75.62
Mary Collins.....	3.70
Robbins T. Orr.....	166.35
Mary J. Paine.....	56.00
Mrs. J. Melanson.....	104.63
Coleman Bray.....	166.40
Maxim Melanson.....	154.27
Chester F. Laird.....	68.62
Clarence E. How.....	35.00
John Storin.....	104.00
Annie Rushlow.....	123.00
Frederick Paradis.....	213.07
Samuel Truett.....	129.59
Charles H. Cook.....	55.99
W. G. Tandy.....	32.96
Glanville Tonkin.....	40.00
Lydia S. Couch.....	88.88
Joseph Benoit.....	46.22
Levi Chenette.....	5.93
Mary Dorgan.....	11.50
Frank Bordeau.....	22.69
Elmer S. Quimby.....	14.99
Sarah Abbott.....	21.65
B. G. Tucker.....	41.54
Benjamin Cahir.....	12.00
Fred W. Heath.....	3.85
Frederick W. Story.....	115.64
Joseph Miner.....	45.00
George Miner.....	9.00

A. Lapierre.....	47.84
P. Lapierre.....	48.24
Helen Cotter.....	16.00
John Kelley.....	22.99
Mrs. Wm. Hunneyman.....	192.43
George W. Smith.....	22.95
Edward Osier.....	66.00
Mrs. Ella Friend.....	35.76
Isaac Leonard.....	91.94
Mrs. John Williams.....	87.10
John Scanlan.....	16.00
Frank Houston.....	71.26
Charles L. Quimby.....	27.16
George Noble.....	10.03
Lewis Carrow.....	18.93
William S. Paige.....	60.00
Dennis Donovan.....	60.00
William Silver.....	30.00
Mrs. Charles Dennen.....	154.08
James Clinton.....	72.50
Mrs. Wm. Chenette.....	16.15
Mrs. Edward Miner.....	12.80
Mrs. M. Howe.....	96.00
Peter Keenan.....	101.50
Melinda Howard.....	4.59
Peter Keenan paid St. Patrick's Orphan- age	43.33
J. E. Emerson.....	20.00
Anna Jones.....	28.75
Benjamin Johnson.....	5.00
Warren G. Chase.....	12.00
E. A. Murry.....	12.00
John G. Peterson.....	5.49
Mary E. Gendron.....	4.00
William H. Ash.....	4.00
Joseph 'Lavail.....	14.33
Celina Barabeau.....	6.00
Henry McCloud.....	5.00

George F. Thompson.....	8.97	
Mrs. E. Dennis.....	8.59	
Peter Durant.....	22.60	
Michael J. O'Connell.....	19.99	
Frank H. Ash.....	5.25	
Charles Dennis.....	13.46	
Tyler Philbrick.....	2.00	
J. B. Fraser.....	27.32	
Mrs. Polly Woodbury.....	44.00	
Albert Mason.....	22.97	
Mrs. Moses Heltz.....	40.15	
Mrs. C. Abbott.....	27.59	
Willie Davis.....	5.82	
William C. Baker.....	5.49	
George S. Drew.....	29.55	
George W. Landon.....	20.00	
Mrs. Frank Wheeler.....	6.00	
Mrs. Henry Champion.....	1.60	
Charles E. Pierce.....	3.00	
Patrick Bray.....	9.00	
Transient account.....	311.02	
	<hr/>	\$4,626.01
Amount paid for support of city poor....	\$ 741.01	
Amount paid by the city for the support of county poor.....	4,626.01	
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Total amount paid on account of poor..		\$5,367.02
Respectfully submitted,		

JOSEPH A. COCHRAN,
Overseer of the Poor.

Aid to Dependent Soldiers and their families rendered during
the year 1897.

CHARGEABLE TO CITY.

Mrs. Henry M. Sanborn.....	\$ 62.29
George W. Johnson.....	61.55
Stephen Lamprey.....	88.00

Orrin Larkin.....	97.05
C. P. Savory.....	82.90
Benjamin P. Davis.....	3.00

\$394.79

CHARGEABLE TO COUNTY.

Edward N. Pinkham.....	\$151.56
George W. Johnson.....	152.46
Michael Storin.....	182.00
Harriet Ash.....	51.21
William Wallace.....	129.16
Helen Griswold.....	41.74
Otis H. Reister.....	83.88
Honora Sullivan.....	116.98
Lester Fletcher.....	67.53
Mrs. L. A. Danforth.....	29.00
Mary A. Morrison.....	18.14
W. H. Sargent.....	176.75
Eli Sturgeon.....	65.28
Mrs. John H. Heath.....	27.00
Erastus B. Tucker.....	49.25
Eliza B. Tandy.....	11.72
C. D. Thompson.....	2.00
N. W. Davis.....	84.00
George Papino.....	.50
Sarah Abbott.....	6.00
John F. Guild.....	3.00
Mary J. Oakley.....	45.99
Arthur Lawrence.....	5.98

\$1,501.13

Total amount.....	\$1,895.92
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It will be noticed that several names appear in both the City and County lists, which is accounted for by a change in the law at the last session of the Legislature.

Police Department.

REPORT OF CITY MARSHAL.

To the Board of Mayor and Aldermen :

I herewith submit my annual report of the police department for the year 1897:

	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.
Whole number of arrests (including Penacook).....	699	697	720	649	876	876
Whole number of arrests at Penacook.....	72	50	44	65	83	73
Brought before the court.....	487	560	628	617	720	698
Discharged by the court.....		2	17	4	8	2
Discharged without being brought before the court.....	140	110	93	85	157	178
Total amount received for fines and costs,— 1891, \$3,306.92; 1892, \$3,027.78; 1893, \$5,352.19; 1894, \$4,396.60; 1895, \$6, 418.92; 1896, \$5,874.16; 1897, \$7,078.72.						
Total amount paid out,—1891, \$462.21; 1892, \$480.50; 1893, \$363.73; 1894, \$557.23; 1895, \$933.64; 1896, \$555.35; 1897, \$595.10.						
Paid city treasurer in 1896, \$5,318.81; 1897, \$6,483.62.						
Whole number of lodgers, including Penacook.....	584	936	1166	908	854	1099
Whole number of lodgers at Penacook.....	94	170	251	201	158	316
Number doors found open and secured (including Penacook).....	103	68	184	290	252	233
Number doors found open and secured at Penacook	11	6	9	22	18	26
Lost children returned to their parents.....	18	15	21	18	14	21
Number boys cautioned to attend school...	21	21	28	19	16	18
Number girls cautioned to attend school...	4	3	2	3	4	6
Called to quell disturbances.....	44	61	80	72	81	90
Stray teams found.....	13	13	16	12	7	3

	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.
Stray horses found.....					3	3
Number times city ambulance required.....	29	38	28	31	49	59
Assault.....	31	18	19	16	17	19
Aggravated assault.....		3	1	1	1	1
Attempt to rape.....						1
Animal running at large.....						1
Adultery.....			2	3	5	10
Breaking and entering.....	1	14	14	18	9	3
Bastardy.....		1	3	5	2	1
Beating board bill.....						1
Common seller.....					1	3
Contempt of court.....						1
Cruelty to animals.....				2	4	2
Drunkenness (including Penacook).....	399	340	365	378	488	425
Drunkenness at Penacook.....		35	30	60	63	54
Driving job team without license.....						1
Defacing building.....						1
Evading railroad fare.....	5	1	1	3	1	3
Escaped from House of Correction.....					5	6
Escaped from Industrial School.....						1
Fast driving.....				2	5	5
Firing revolver.....						1
Forgery.....					1	2
For out of town officers.....				2	1	11
Fornication.....				2	9	4
Gambling.....			16	10	2	12
Idle and disorderly persons.....	1	1	1	1	7	5
Illegal fishing.....				2		2
Insane.....	9	6	8	4	11	6
Injury to real estate.....					1	2
Keeping dogs without a license.....			10	9	6	2
Keeping malt liquor for sale.....	13	64	53	77	54	69
Keeping malt for sale, second offence.....					4	5
Keeping cider for sale.....				1	1	1
Keeping spirituous liquor for sale.....	7	47	33	57	49	60
Keeping spirituous liquor, second offence.....						1
Larceny from the person.....					1	5
Noise and brawl.....				5	18	2
Neglecting to support family.....					1	2
Neglecting to clear sidewalk.....						1
Obtaining goods under false pretences.....						1
Obtaining team by false pretences.....						1
Obstructing an officer.....						1
Rude and disorderly conduct.....	18	14	13	6	7	29
Riding bicycle on sidewalk.....				9	5	3
Ringing false alarm.....						1

	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.
Safe keeping.....	59	87	45	41	89	116
Stealing.....	25	28	28	5	19	22
Selling spirituous liquor.....	2	4	1	2	7	10
Setting bonfire.....						1
Street walkers.....					4	1
Stubborn children.....	7	3	6	1	3	2
Threatening to do bodily harm.....				1	1	2
Tramp.....					2	1
United States prisoner.....	1	2	1	2	1	6
Vagrant.....	5	2	1	3	5	1
Number of arrests made by James E. Rand.....			88	144	135	157
Daniel S. Flanders.....			21	34	66	70
Fred M. Eaton.....			69	49	48	24
Whitney D. Barrett.....			19	39	47	43
James Kelley.....			11	25	40	30
Charles E. Kelley.....			22	26	45	3
John E. Gay.....			1	27	85	78
Charles W. Hall.....			1	20	39	63
Elmer J. Brown.....				16	21	2
Irving B. Robinson.....				9	26	29
Charles H. Rowe.....				8	82	105
Thomas P. Davis.....						7
John G. Putnam.....						62
Oliver Tappan.....						11
George N. Fellows.....						21
Samuel L. Batchelder.....						6
Assisted in making arrests, James E. Rand.....			65	33	37	19
Daniel S. Flanders.....			42	53	34	57
Fred M. Eaton.....			29	36	34	5
John E. Gay.....			3	29	21	19
Charles W. Hall.....			9	7	3	31
Whitney D. Barrett.....			7	5	4	9
James Kelley.....			9	5	1	4
Charles E. Kelley.....			10	22	18	4
Elmer J. Brown.....				9	6	1
Irving B. Robinson.....				1	5	7
Charles H. Rowe.....				2	24	45
Thomas P. Davis.....						10
John G. Putnam.....						12
George N. Fellows.....						5
Arrests made by special officers.....			38	50	34	20
Special officers assisted in making arrests.....			48	32	7	6

- The organization of the police department at the present time is as follows :

POLICE COMMISSIONERS.

Charles C. Danforth, Giles Wheeler, Josiah E. Dwight.

G. Scott Locke, city marshal.

James E. Rand, assistant marshal.

Daniel S. Flanders, captain night watch.

Fred M. Eaton, regular police and night watchman.

Whitney D. Barrett, " " Penacook.

James Kelley, " " "

John E. Gay, " " "

Charles W. Hall, " " "

Charles H. Rowe, " " "

John G. Putnam, " " "

Samuel L. Batchelder, " " "

SPECIAL RESERVE OFFICERS.

George H. Silsby, captain.

John T. Batchelder, William R. Green,

O. H. Bean, Alvin H. Urann,

Willie A. Little, Harvey H. Oakes,

W. A. Flanders, George N. Fellows,

George W. Chesley, Abiel C. Abbott,

W. H. H. Patch, Thomas P. Davis,

Hoyt Robinson, Irving B. Robinson,

George D. Worth, Charles E. Kelley.

I will renew my recommendation for a stable suitable for a horse, wagon and ambulance.

It can be built after the same architectural design as the police station for \$1,000.

A telephone line from the South end to Penacook would be of great assistance to this department, and could be built for \$500.

In submitting my report I desire to express my gratitude to the board of police commissioners, His Honor Mayor A. B. Woodworth, and the city council for their considerate treatment of this department. Thanks are due to Harry G. Sargent, city solicitor, for valuable assistance rendered.

To all who have contributed to our success we extend our thanks.

To the members of the force my grateful acknowledgment and thanks are tendered, for their efficiency and promptness in the discharge of their duties.

Respectfully submitted,

G. SCOTT LOCKE,
City Marshal.

Report of Clerk of Police Court.

To the City Council:

I submit the following report of the Police Court for the year 1897:

Number of civil cases entered.....	123
Received for entry fees.....	\$61.50
trials and continuances.....	14.25
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	\$75.75
Paid city treasurer.....	\$75.75

GEO. M. FLETCHER,
Clerk of Police Court.

Report of City Solicitor.

To the City Council: I hereby submit my annual report as solicitor:

The case of "Mary J. Gay et al v. Concord," pending at the date of my last annual report, is still undisposed of, no action having been taken by the plaintiff to bring the case to a trial, but it probably will be disposed of within a month or two.

The suits against the bondsmen of Albert I. Foster pending at the date of my last annual report, were terminated on account of the compromise agreement made by the city council to accept 33 1-3 per cent. in full settlement of the amounts claimed against the bondsmen.

In April, 1897, Trueworthy L. Fowler commenced a suit against the city to recover damages for injuries to his horse, caused as alleged, by negligently leaving unfastened the cover of a sewer. The amount of damages claimed is \$50. Arrangements are being made for a compromise of this suit, and it will probably be disposed of in a short time.

In December, 1897, claims against the city were filed with the board of mayor and aldermen, in favor of Arthur Henry, Edmund M. Proctor, Laura P. Clough, and John Callahan, for damages caused by surface water, as alleged, on account of the raising of Pine street. These claims altogether amount to \$2,000. Under my advice, by agreement with counsel representing the claimants, these claims will be tried by a referee, whose decision will be final.

During the year advice and assistance have been furnished by me to the officers of the different departments of the city government, as requested.

HARRY G. SARGENT, City Solicitor.
Concord, N. H., December 31, 1897.

Report of Police Commissioners.

The following is a report of the doings of the Police Commissioners for the year ending Dec. 31, 1897:

April 30, 1897. Met at the office of Morrill & Danforth. The resignation of Charles E. Kelley, a regular police officer, was presented and accepted.

H. C. Oaks, George N. Fellows and Oliver Tappan were appointed special police officers.

Adjourned, to meet at the call of the chairman.

May 11, 1897. Met at the office of Morrill & Danforth. John G. Putnam was appointed a regular police officer.

Adjourned, to meet on call of the chairman.

August 2, 1897. Met at the office of Morrill & Danforth. Thomas P. Davis and Irving B. Robinson were appointed special police officers.

Adjourned, to meet on call of the chairman.

December 21, 1897. Met at the office of Morrill & Danforth. The resignation of Eugene H. Davis, a special police officer, was presented and accepted.

Samuel L. Batchelder was appointed a regular police officer.

Charles E. Kelley and Milton Colby were appointed special police officers.

Adjourned, to meet on call of the chairman.

GILES WHEELER,

Clerk Police Commission.

Report of City Liquor Agent.

To the City Council:

In compliance with Section 10, Chapter 112, of the Public Statutes of this State, and the resolution of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of May 26, 1888, establishing this agency, I respectfully report the transactions of this office for the year 1897.

ON HAND JANUARY 1 AND PURCHASED DURING THE YEAR 1897.

Wines and liquors on hand January 1 per report was 225 gallons, 100 bottles liquors and malt liquors	\$1,203.46
Purchased of Geo. W. Weeks, liquor commissioner, wines and liquors, 448 4-8 gallons, 108 bottles liquors and malt liquors.....	1,314.84
Total, 673 4-8 gallons, 208 bottles liquors and malt liquors.	
Freight, cartage and express on goods purchased..	9.30
Empty bottles on hand January 1, 42.....	.92
Empty bottles purchased during the year, 188.....	6.00
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	\$2,534.52

MATERIAL AND EXPENSE OTHER THAN STOCK.

Salary of agent.....	\$600.00
Rent of office.....	276.00
U. S. internal revenue special tax.....	25.00
Fuel for the year.....	18.72
Gas	5.55
Water	1.00
Postage stamps.....	.50
4 gross corks.....	1.68
E. M. Cogswell, sealer and measure.....	.40
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	\$3,469.37

SOLD DURING THE YEAR 1897.

Wines, liquors and malt liquors, number of sales, 3,385, and 478 6-8 gallons, 68 bottles liquors and malt liquors.....	\$1,943.75
Empty bottles sold during the year, 201.....	16.35
Empty casks sold, 12.....	12.00
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	\$1,972.10

ON HAND JANUARY 1, 1898.

Wines and liquors, 185 2-8 gallons, 144 bottles liquors and malt liquors.....	\$1,239.80	
Less shortage, 13 1-8 gallons.....	39.50	\$1,200.30
Empty on hand January 1, 129.....		2.90
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		\$1,203.20
Cost of goods sold and expenses.....		\$1,387.80
Wines, liquors and malt liquors.		
Empty bottles sold during the year, 201, cost.....		4.02
Other expenditures		934.85
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		\$2,326.67
Cash on hand January 1, 1897.....	\$ 12.60	
Cash received for sales in 1897.....	1,972.10	
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Cash deposited with city treasurer.....	\$1,975.00	
Cash on hand January 1, 1898.....	9.70	\$1,984.70

Respectfully submitted,

MOSES LADD, Liquor Agent.

PUBLIC PARKS.

REPORT OF PARK COMMISSIONERS.

The park commissioners submit herewith their annual report for the year ending December 31, 1897:

The appropriations for the last year were made as follows:

White Park,	\$3,250.00
Rollins Park,	750.00
Penacook Park,	100.00
Parks and commons,	175.00

WHITE PARK.

The most marked improvement at White Park during the season has been the completion of the stone bridge and the surroundings, making a most harmonious effect. The increase of completed area in the park brings with it an increased expense for maintenance. Much filling has been accomplished this year and sub-draining. The season was so wet last summer that the necessity of a water supply was not needed, yet that cannot always be counted upon and provisions will have to be made to meet any emergency.

The improvements have reached such a stage that any marked improvement gives a completeness to the plan which has been followed, so that the coming year this new work should be increased. There are important additions that should be made at an early date: First, the completion of the play-ground with the accessories to such a place in the way of bicycle paths, tennis courts, etc. This is needed very much as it has been so difficult to exercise control over the other parts of the park. People, not perhaps always wilfully, but thoughtlessly, do that which has caused much time and labor and which

is, to say the least, aggravating to the commissioners and superintendent to see destroyed. It would seem the best way to provide certain localities for certain purposes, and that would in a more or less degree obviate any complaint.

Another needed improvement, which is a necessity, is the building of a tool house, in which to house and protect the property of this department, which now suffers from lack of sufficient protection. This can be built at an expense of not over \$600.

Another improvement is the great need of a combination shelter and public comfort building at the entrance of Pine street, which can be constructed in a very substantial and artistic manner for a reasonable figure. The commissioners have had plans made along these lines, and hope that they will be able under the appropriation that will be made this year to carry out these needed improvements.

The temporary fence has been extended to the corner of Beacon and White streets, along which have been planted a row of Lombardy poplars, which will be a great feature of that part of the park. The commissioners would also call attention to that piece of ground which belongs to the park, but which the city has not paid for, and they would suggest that an appropriation should be made for this.

The wet season has developed more or less malaria upon that part of the ground which has not as yet been reclaimed, and this was the cause of a serious illness which incapacitated our superintendent for a few months.

The appropriation has been exceeded by a small amount, which came about from some unpaid bills of the previous year, which could not be gotten in.

ROLLINS PARK.

The appropriation at Rollins Park has been insufficient to carry out the desires of the committee in charge. The needs of this park demanded the services of a man continuously, so that during the summer there has been a man on the ground all the time working out the contemplated improvements, also taking charge of the park. A very attractive artificial pond has been constructed and shrubs and trees have been planted; water has

been introduced, providing a drinking fountain. Tables have been erected and seats placed in different parts of the park. The right has been obtained to use a spring in an adjoining piece of land, and a pump has been put in to draw the water.

During the season the commissioners have consulted with landscape architects, and as a result of this a rustic shelter has been constructed in the center of the park, which will prove a very attractive feature. Other pieces of rustic work are contemplated. Plans have also been submitted to the commissioners for the improvement of other parts of the park, including a system of ponds and walks. This will necessitate a greater expenditure than we have heretofore made, but the features already incorporated in the park, and the popularity of the same, have demonstrated the wise use of the funds.

The appropriation has been exhausted and over-run, but comes within the original appropriation which has been received heretofore.

PENACOOK PARK.

The appropriation for Penacook Park has been exceeded by \$3.72. The income has been less from different sources from this park and some needed repairs have been made which has caused this; otherwise, the same results have been obtained as last year, the care consisting mainly in keeping the grounds clean and the buildings in repair.

PARKS AND COMMONS.

The piece of ground which has been developed under the head of parks and commons has been given a fitting and appropriate name by the city government as Bradley Park. The amount appropriated for this piece of improvement, which was begun the previous year, was insufficient, as a correct estimate could not be made as to its completion. However, the appropriation was not over-run very much, and the completion of the park has been very satisfactory and only demonstrates what can be done along the same lines in other sections of the city,—the more we have of just such bits of adornment, the more attractive will our city become.

The tract which has been recently donated to the city at the West End can be made a very attractive spot, and we are glad to see that our citizens are beginning to appreciate the work already begun, and anticipate results which will arise from such improvement.

There are other pieces of ground which should be taken up at no late day and improved.

ALBERT B. WOODWORTH, Chairman.
JOHN F. JONES,
BENJ. S. ROLFE,
BENJ. C. WHITE,
WILLIS G. C. KIMBALL,
GEORGE A. YOUNG,
WILLIAM P. FISKE.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES BY THE PARK COMMISSIONERS.

WHITE PARK ACCOUNT.

Labor	\$2,305.01	
Lumber	204.78	
Stone bridge	313.13	
Loam	132.00	
Trees, shrubs, and seed	67.40	
Horse and care	109.77	
Tools	58.46	
Incidentals	84.03	
Interest	70.00	
	<u> </u>	\$3,344.58

ROLLINS PARK ACCOUNT.

Labor	\$447.06	
Piping and plumbing	130.47	
Tools and hardware	59.66	
Construction of shelter	151.63	
Trees, shrubs, and seed	150.80	
Incidentals	44.22	
	<u> </u>	\$983.84

PENACOOK PARK ACCOUNT.

Labor	\$73.45	
Incidentals	30.27	
	<u> </u>	\$103.72

BRADLEY PARK ACCOUNT.

Labor	\$53.70	
Trees, shrubs, and seed	105.90	
Loam	31.80	
Incidentals	27.33	
	<u> </u>	\$218.73
Balance		6.27
		<u> </u>
		\$225.00

GENERAL FUND.

Balance on hand :		
Penacook Park	\$26.57	
Rollins Park	42.12	
Cash received :		
Wood sold, account White Park . .	3.00	
" " " . .	4.00	
" " Rollins Park, from		
J. H. Rowell	10.50	
Rebate, account subscription to "Garden		
and Forest"	2.38	
Income from Penacook Park	11.00	
	<hr/>	\$99.57
Bills paid :		
J. M. Crossman, account Penacook Park,	\$5.55	
C. H. Stevens & Co., " "	2.50	
O. F. Richardson, " "	2.95	
E. Coutchi, account parks and commons,	4.50	
Geo. Malcolm, " "	15.00	
" " " . .	7.50	
Morgan, Crossman & Co., rubber stamp,	.90	
Subscription to "American Gardening,"	2.00	
Balance paid to city treasurer . . .	58.67	
	<hr/>	\$99.57

CEMETERY DEPARTMENT.

To the City Council: Your commissioners of cemeteries, in making their annual report, look with no little satisfaction upon the work accomplished during the past year. The larger part of the appropriation placed at our disposal has been expended in grading, and removing the unsightly gravel hill, which has so long marred the beauty of Blossom Hill Cemetery. The Old North Cemetery has been put in good condition and will need no great outlay during the coming year.

There have been one hundred and sixty (160) burials during the year, a fact that calls our attention to the rapidity with which our cemeteries are being occupied, and also testifies to the wisdom of your honorable body in providing for the future by the purchase of the additional land on the south of Blossom Hill Cemetery.

We had hoped that you could see your way clear to make an appropriation for a chapel and waiting room this year. Of its necessity there is no doubt. When we consider that almost all of the money appropriated for cemeteries finds its way back to the treasury of the city, it seems to us that such appropriation would meet with public favor, and therefore merit your early attention.

Having already made your appropriation for cemeteries, any suggestions from your commissioners would appear unnecessary. We had hoped for a larger one, but shall endeavor to expend what you have named in a manner to win your approval.

GEORGE O. DICKERMAN,
Secretary Board of Commissioners.

MILLVILLE CEMETERY.*To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:*

Financial report of the Millville Cemetery Committee:

RECEIPTS.

Received from city treasurer.....	\$100.00	
Received from interested individuals.....	33.00	
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Total		\$133.00

EXPENDITURES.

Paid A. H. Britton & Co., mower and hardware	\$12.65	
C. W. Brown, hauling loam.....	17.10	
W. Oscar Proctor, work.....	17.50	
J. N. Abbott.....	2.00	
W. H. Currier.....	6.75	
C. H. Martin & Co., lead and oil.....	8.60	
added to fund.....	25.00	
Paid the amount "expended above receipts" as per last report.....	13.89	
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Total		\$103.49
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Balance on hand.....		\$29.51

Respectfully submitted,

I. N. ABBOTT,
F. G. PROCTOR,
A. CLARK.

Committee.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGINEER.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

I have the honor to submit the following report of the Fire Department for the year 1897.

The precinct department responded to thirty-two (32) box alarms and eighty (80) still alarms.

At Penacook thirteen (13) alarms were responded to; at East Concord six (6), and at West Concord two (2).

BOX ALARMS.

Box 24. Jan. 16th, 5:12 P. M. Slight fire in room 17, upper Stickney block, occupied by H. H. Buzzell. Caused by stove blacking igniting while being applied to stove. No loss. Recall, 5:16 P. M.

Box 42. Jan. 18th, 12:57 P. M. Fire in closet in residence rear of 65 So. Main St., owned by J. J. Lee and occupied by Edward Ryan. Cause unknown. 450 feet hose wet. Recall, 1:10 P. M.

	Value	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$3,000.00	\$15.00	\$2,000.00	\$15.00
Contents,		30.00	None.	None.

Box 49. Jan. 20th, 9:14 P. M. Slight fire in residence 74 West St., owned by Mrs. Sophia Shaw and occupied by J. J. Mills. Caused by over-heated chimney. Extinguished with pony extinguishers. Recall, 9:25 P. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$3,000.00	\$6.55	\$1,000.00	\$6.55

Box 24. Feb. 27th, 7:21 A. M. Fire in photograph gallery,

corner Centre and No. Main Sts., owned by W. J. Chadbourne and occupied by W. W. Brown. Cause unknown. 650 feet hose wet. Recall, 7:33 A. M.

	Value	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$900.00	\$900.00	\$800.00	\$615.00
Contents,	\$1,000.00	700.00	700.00	622.08

Box 37. Mar. 17th, 12:33 A. M. Fire in out-buildings corner No. Fruit and Pleasant Sts., owned by L. D. Brown. Cause, incendiary. Recall, 2:54 A. M. 200 feet hose wet.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$150.00	\$150.00	None.	None.
Contents,	200.00	200.00	None.	None.

Box 24. Mar. 21st, 4:46 P. M. Slight fire in Carroll House, Centre St. Caused by kerosene stove. Recall, 4:51 P. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$3,500.00	\$20.00	\$2,000.00	\$20.00

Box 24. April 4th, 12:43 P. M. Fire in residence 15 Centre St., owned by Guild of St. Paul and occupied by Dr. A. W. Hill. Residence adjoining, owned and occupied by Ella A. Wadleigh damaged. Cause of fire unknown. 2,750 feet hose wet. Recall, 1:03 P. M.

Guild of St. Paul

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$3,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$2,500.00	\$542.00
Contents,	2,000.00	100.00	None.	None.

E. A. Wadleigh

Building,	\$3,000.00	\$89.25	\$2,500.00	\$89.25
Contents,	————	7.50	————	7.50

Box 36. April 13th, 1:33 P. M. Fire in tenement house, 6 and 8 So. Spring St., owned by Fred P. Smart and Horace Thompson. Occupied by J. F. Liberty, B. G. Tucker, G. H. May, and E. B. Craddock.

Box 36. April 13th, 1:40 P. M. Second alarm. Cause of fire unknown. 3,450 feet hose wet. Recall, 2:28 P. M.

Building:	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
F. P. Smart	\$2,500.00	\$1,050.00	\$1,800.00	\$1,050.00
H. Thompson	2,500.00	1,200.00	2,100.00	1,200.00

Building.	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
J. F. Liberty,	\$1,400.00	\$500.00	\$1,000.00	\$390.34
B. G. Tucker,	300.00	200.00	None.	None.
G. H. May,	100.00	50.00	None.	None.
E. B. Craddock,	—	20.00	None.	None.

Box 49. April 22nd, 4:50 P. M. Grass fire Pillsbury St. Needless alarm. 250 feet hose wet. Recall, 4:59 P. M.

Box 23. April 24th, 1:25 A. M. Fire in building, 210 No. Main St., known as the Union House. Owned by Jacob Chadwick. Practically destroyed by previous fire. Unoccupied. Cause incendiary. 2,250 feet hose wet. Recall, 1:50 A. M.

Box 35. April 24th, 6:15 P. M. Fire in shed rear C. H. Martin's drug store. Extinguished by Chemical Co. See still alarm same date. Recall, 6:19 P. M.

Box 19. May 21st, 10:01 P. M. False alarm. Recall, 10:08 P. M.

Box 9. May 22nd, 11:20 A. M. Brush fire near Claremont R. R. crossing. Alarm given in West Concord also. 2,050 feet hose wet. No loss, although for some time this fire had a very serious aspect, valuable houses being in imminent danger. Recall, 12:17 P. M.

4-4-4. May 23rd, 9:00 P. M. Brush fire near J. H. S. Willcox property, Millville road. Extinguished by detail from fire department. Wood owned by Lewis B. Hoit destroyed.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Wood,	\$292.50	\$50.00	\$255.70	\$50.00

Box 37. June 22nd, 8:16 P. M. Fire in barn rear 167 Pleasant St., owned by E. G. Harris. Caused by over-turned lantern. Extinguished before the arrival of department. No loss. Recall 8.22 P. M.

Box 42. July 7th, 10:15 P. M. Slight fire in residence, 20 Concord St., owned by Mrs. Sarah J. Adams. Unoccupied. Caught in waste paper. Cause unknown. No loss. Needless alarm.

Box 13. Aug. 18th, 7:30 A. M. Fire in residence, 95 Franklin St., owned by James M. Collins and occupied by James Mc-

Bain. Caught in shavings in cellar from some cause unknown. 400 feet hose wet. Recall, 7:58 A. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$3,000.00	\$150.00	\$2,500.00	\$115.00
Contents,	1,000.00	15.00	None.	None.

Box 56. Sept. 26th, 6:00 P. M. Slight fire in residence of W. H. Foster, Hopkinton road near St. Paul's School. Caused by curtain coming in contact with gas jet. Extinguished before arrival of department. No loss. Needless alarm. Recall, 6:14 P. M.

Box 14. Oct. 9th, 7:38 A. M. Slight fire in wardrobe in residence, 19 Perkins St., owned by James E. Randlett and occupied by Everett Eddy and Richard H. Tippet. Cause, children playing with matches. No hose wet. Recall, 7:58 A. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$2,800.00	\$20.00	\$2,000.00	\$20.00
Contents,	—————	40.00	None.	None.

Box 24. Oct. 12th, 8:44 A. M. Fire in building, 135 1-2 No. Main St., owned by Mrs. Ellen O'Brien and occupied as follows: P. Descoteau, boot and shoe store, E. S. Carroll, residence, Chin O'Kee, laundry, Leonard Mudgett, and Chas. H. Fradd, storage. Cause, unknown. 1,650 feet hose wet. Recall, 8:59 A. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$1,500.00	\$319.75	\$1,000.00	\$319.75
Contents:				
P. Descoteau,	—————	250.00	800.00	132.80
E. S. Carroll,	—————	300.00	None.	None.
Chin O'Kee,	—————	20.00	None.	None.
L. Mudgett,	—————	100.00	None.	None.
C. H. Fradd,	—————	150.00	None.	None.

4-4-4. Oct. 16th, 11:13 P. M. Brush fire near Odd Fellows' Home. Extinguished by detail from fire department. No loss.

4-4-4. Oct. 17th, 4:48 A. M. Brush fire near Odd Fellows' Home. Extinguished by detail from fire department. No loss.

11-11. Oct. 17th, 3:20 P. M. Call from Bradford, N. H.,

for assistance. Gov. Hill steamer, relief reel and 1,800 feet of hose sent. Engine worked one hour.

4-4-4. Oct. 25th, 11:50 A. M. Brush fire head of Call St., near N. H. State Prison. Extinguished by detail from fire department. No loss.

Box 35. Oct. 31st, 8:33 P. M. Fire in J. C. Norris & Co.'s bakery, 18 So. Main St. Extinguished by Chemical Co. Cause unknown. Recall, 8:50 P. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$8,000.00	\$100.00	\$4,000.00	\$100.00
Contents,	15,000.00	None.	8,000.00	None.

Box 12. Nov. 3rd, 8:40 A. M. Slight fire in closet in residence, 170 No. State St., owned by John Healey and occupied by E. Swedmark. Cause unknown.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$2,500.00	\$5.00	\$1,500	\$5.00
Contents,	_____	15.00	None.	None.

Box 23. Nov. 6th, 7:59 P. M. Fire in unoccupied building in old N. R. R. yard. Cause, unknown. 1,950 feet hose wet. Recall, 8:08 P. M. Building of no material value.

Box 14. Nov. 10th, 9:12 P. M. Slight fire in residence of C. J. French, 5 Perkins St. Cause, unknown. Recall, 9:20 P. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$1,600.00	None.	\$1,000.00	None.
Contents,	1,500.00	\$25.00	950.00	\$25.00

Box 47. Nov. 20th, 2:49 P. M. Fire in shed adjoining residence, 47 Downing St., owned by Mrs. D. D. Brainerd and occupied by F. W. Story and Lewis Brown. Cause, unknown. 1,650 feet hose wet. No water, however, used in the building. Recall, 3:12 P. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$1,000.00	\$104.50	\$700.00	\$100.00
Contents,	500.00.	15.00	None.	None.

Box 41. Nov. 24th, 3:59 A. M. Fire in residence, 37 South St., owned by John B. Baker and occupied by W. G. Fletcher. Cause, unknown. 1,100 feet hose wet. Recall, 5:05 A. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$2,500.00	\$906.25	\$1,500.00	\$906.25
Contents,	600.00	250.00	None.	None.

Box 42. Nov. 26th, 3:00 A. M. Fire in residence, 34 So. State St., owned by Mrs. Sarah T. Colby and occupied by Dr. Fred Dessaint. Cause, over-heated chimney, 2,550 feet hose wet. Recall, 3:44 A. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$4,500.00	\$315.00	\$3,500.00	\$315.00
Contents,	2,000.00	300.00	1,800.00	300.00

STILL ALARMS.

Jan. 7th, 7:01 P. M. Chimney fire in residence, 6 Downing St., owned by Mrs. C. B. Lawrence and occupied by Rosanna Paradis.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$3,500.00	\$20.00	\$2,000.00	\$20.00

Jan. 8th, 9:55 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of F. C. West, 16 Pierce St. No loss.

Jan. 10th, 10:00 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Miss Hattie Tucker, 44 Downing St. Extinguished by members of Good Will Hose Co. No loss.

Jan. 13th, 9:12 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of F. E. Nelson, corner Warren and Merrimack Sts. No loss.

Jan. 17th, 5:35 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Abial Thompson, 131 Warren St. No loss.

Jan. 18th, 6:37 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of John Maguire, 4 Downing St. No loss.

Jan. 26th, 1:05 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Fred Leary, 7 1-2 So. State St. No loss.

Jan. 26th, 9:30 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Stephen Sewall, 90 Warren St. No loss.

Jan. 26th, 3:45 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Mrs. Olive A. Evans, 18 Short St. No loss.

Jan. 30th, 3:47 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of J. E. Emerson, 18 Water St. No loss.

Feb. 6th, 4:20 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Henry McCloud, 19 Prince St. No loss.

Feb. 10th, 8:40 A. M. Chimney fire in Union St. school-house. No loss.

Feb. 19th, 1:00 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Michael

Bateman, 17 Green St. Extinguished by Central station men. No loss.

Feb. 20th, 8:57 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Mrs. Ellen O'Brien, 20 Thorndike St. Extinguished by members of Good Will Hose Co. No loss.

Feb. 27th, 4:58 P. M. Chimney fire in Currier's block, No. Main St. No loss.

Mar. 3rd, 9:25 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of E. A. Cushing, 19 So. Main St. No loss.

Mar. 5th, 3:04 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of James Burns, 63 Franklin St. No loss.

Mar. 9th, 9:10 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Jeremiah Smith, 25 Fayette St. No loss.

Mar. 11th, 6:20 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of H. H. Bean, 121 Rumford St. No loss.

Mar. 12th, 7:02 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Mrs. E. R. Sanborn, 31 Fayette St. No loss.

Mar. 16th, 3:39 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Rev. D. C. Babcock, corner Thompson and State Sts. No loss.

Mar. 18th, 1:57 A. M. Fire in residence, 3 Wentworth Ave., owned by Joseph Wentworth and occupied by Geo. Reed. Caused by over-heated chimney.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$3,000.00	\$60.00	\$1,000.00	\$60.00

Mar. 20th, 7:05 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Mrs. J. B. Coleman, 2 Montgomery St.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Contents,	\$1,200.00	\$15.00	\$700.00	\$15.00

Mar. 29th, 8:08 A. M. Chimney fire in W. J. Chadbourne's photograph gallery, Exchange block. No loss.

Mar. 31st, 8:53 A. M. Chimney fire in W. J. Chadbourne's photograph gallery, Exchange block. No loss.

April 2nd, 5:12 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Miss Nora Cull, 5 Jefferson St. No loss.

April 6th, 8:56 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Wm. Yeaton, 66 1-2 No. State St. No loss.

April 7th, 7:40 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Wm. R. Dudley, 65 Pleasant St. No loss.

April 11th, 8:45 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Frank Magnam, 71 Downing St. No loss.

April 13th, 11:45 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Wm. O'Connor, 171 Rumford St. No loss.

April 13th, 1:15 P. M. Brush fire in rear of J. H. Dodge's grain store. Extinguished before arrival of firemen.

April 13th, 2:10 P. M. Fire on roof of residence, 57 Pleasant St., owned by the Amos Wood estate. Caused by brand from burning Smart-Thompson property. Extinguished by detail from the fire department.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$3,500.00	\$8.00	\$2,500.00	\$8.00

April 14th, 10:42 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of A. V. Morrison, 20 Broadway. No loss.

April 19th, 8:10 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of A. W. Bond, 9 Dakin St. No loss.

April 19th, 1:15 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of J. A. Pillsbury, 34 Washington St. Extinguished by members of Alert Hose Co. No loss.

April 19th, 2:49 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of E. D. Clark, Millville road. No loss.

April 24th, 6:15 P. M. Fire in shed rear C. H. Martin's drug store. No loss.

April 26th, 7:05 P. M. Fire on dumping ground Free Bridge road. Extinguished by detail from Kearsarge and Eagle Cos. 200 feet hose wet.

May 18th, 10:45 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Henry Ash, 29 Pierce St. No loss.

May 20th, 1:05 P. M. Fire in pile of old sleepers in B. & M. R. R. yard near shoe factory. Extinguished by detail from Eagle, Kearsarge and Alert Cos. 200 feet hose wet.

May 22nd, 11:05 A. M. Brush fire near Claremont railroad crossing. See alarm from box 9, same date.

May 23rd, 10:15 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of John Maguire, 4 Downing St. No loss.

May 23rd, 10:50 P. M. Brush fire on Long Pond road. Extinguished by detail from fire department. No loss.

May 25th, 9:26 A. M. Chimney fire in McShane's block, Warren St. Extinguished by Central station men. No loss.

June 23rd, 10:37 A. M. Fire in residence, 194 No. State St., owned by Mrs. Clara McIntire and occupied by Frank Plankey. Caused by explosion of kerosene lamp. Extinguished before the arrival of firemen.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$1,000.00	\$12.00	\$700.00	\$12.00

June 30th, 7:00 P. M. Fire in residence, 63 Perley St., owned by Patrick Haggerty and occupied by Geo. L. Conant and J. Callahan. Caused by child playing with Japanese lantern. Extinguished by owner before the arrival of firemen.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$2,000.00	\$6.00	\$1,800.00	\$6.00
Contents,	-----	15.00	None.	None.

July 4th, 4:14 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of J. E. Thompson, 41 Warren St. Extinguished by Central station men. No loss.

July 7th, 4:22 A. M. Fire in house, 210 No. Main St., known as the Union House. Unoccupied. Third fire in same building. No loss.

July 10th, 7:30 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of R. Bishop, 228 No. Main St. No loss.

July 31st, 11:47 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Thomas Downs, 25 Concord St. No loss.

Aug. 3rd, 12:48 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Homer Shippee, 12 Ford's Ave. No loss.

Aug. 7th, 9:21 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of F. Palmer, rear 68 No. Main St. No loss.

Aug. 28th, 9:45 P. M. Slight fire in basement of Y. M. C. A. building, corner Warren and State Sts. Extinguished by occupants before the arrival of firemen. No loss.

Sept. 3rd, 5:40 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of John Maguire, 4 Downing St. Extinguished by members of Good Will Hose Co. No loss.

Sept. 8th, 9:50 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of C. F. Welcome, 28 Warren St. No loss.

Sept. 18th, 2:46 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of F. W. Brown, 43 Laurel St. No loss.

Sept. 19th, 1:42 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Patrick Bray, 26 1-2 Warren St. No loss.

Sept. 23rd, 3:23 P. M. Fire in shed rear 23 Mills St. Owned by Victor Breton and used as a store house for shingles. Caused by boys playing with matches.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$10.00	\$10.00	None.	None.
Contents,	8.00	5.00	None.	None.

Sept. 27th, 5:25 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of John H. Kelley, 11 Pierce St. No loss.

Oct. 3rd, 3:35 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Wm. McFarland, 196 No. Main St. No loss.

Oct. 3rd, 6:50 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Edward Norton, 21 Concord St. Extinguished by members of Good Will Hose Co. No loss.

Oct. 11th, 6:46 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Geo. Smith, 17 Morton St. No loss.

Oct. 14th, 3:40 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of O. R. Farrar, 87 No. Spring St. Extinguished by members of Alert Hose Co. No loss.

Oct. 19th, 3:58 P. M. Fire on dumping ground, Free Bridge road, near H. O. Marsh & Co.'s coal shed. Extinguished by detail from the fire department. 250 feet hose wet.

Oct. 22nd, 9:15 A. M. Slight fire in residence, 56 Centre St., owned by C. C. Webster and occupied by William S. West. Cause, over-heated furnace. Extinguished by owner before the arrival of firemen.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$3,000.00	\$12.00	\$2,000.00	\$12.00

Oct. 25th, 4:45 A. M. Slight fire in rubbish rear Dow's block, Free Bridge road. No loss.

Nov. 6th, 6:30 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of E. L. Peacock, 67 So. State St. Extinguished by members of Good Will Hose Co. No loss.

Nov. 7th, 9:00 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Cornelius Dougherty, 9 Freight St. No loss.

Nov. 19th, 11:22 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of James Benson, 4 Perley St. No loss.

Nov. 19th, 9:15 P. M. Slight fire in residence, 112 No. State St., owned by J. C. French and occupied by P. A. Murphy. Caused by over-heated chimney.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$2,500.00	\$25.00	\$2,000.00	\$25.00
Contents,	750.00	18.00	500.00	12.00

Nov. 22nd, 10:24 A. M. Chimney fire in grocery store, 163 No. State St., occupied by E. Isabel. No loss.

Nov. 23rd, 7:45 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Mrs. Lydia A. Abbott, 8 Chapel St. Extinguished by members of Alert Hose Co. No loss.

Nov. 26th, 4:35 A. M. Fire discovered breaking out anew in residence, 34 So. State St., after dismissal of department. See alarm from box 42 same date. Alarm given by detail left to watch. Chemical engine and Kearsarge wagon sent. 250 feet hose wet. No loss.

Dec. 1st, 10:45 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of A. W. Thompson, 114 So. State St. No loss.

Dec. 1st, 7:30 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of A. W. Thompson, 114 So. State St. No loss.

Dec. 7th, 10:24 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Dr. F. W. Grafton, 41 Green St. No loss.

Dec. 11th, 9:50 A. M. Slight fire in closet in drug store, 81 No. Main St., occupied by Underhill & Kittredge. Building owned by the Hill Associates. Cause, unknown.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$45,000.00	\$25.00	\$25,000.00	\$25.00
Contents,	_____	95.00	_____	95.00

Dec. 24th, 10:35 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Mary C. Caswell, 121 Warren St.

Dec. 29th, 7:28 P. M. Chimney fire in Merchant's block, No. Main St., owned by Geo. D. B. Prescott and occupied on first floor by owner and H. C. Bailey.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$9,000.00	\$5.00	\$5,000.00	\$5.00
Contents,	5,000.00	6.50	3,500.00	6.50

Dec. 31st, 5:44 P. M. Chimney fire in Lee's block, Chandler St. No loss.

All of the above not otherwise credited were extinguished by Chemical Co.

PENACOOK.

Jan. 19th. Chimney fire in residence of Isaac J. Tetreault, Main St. No loss.

Feb. 9th, 3:40 A. M. Fire in store house owned and occupied by C. M. & A. W. Rolfe near Penacook R. R. station. Two freight cars owned by B. & M. R. R. also damaged. Cause, stove in one of the cars.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$400.00	\$400.00	\$250.00	\$250.00
Contents,	2,388.97	2,388.97	750.00	750.00
Cars,	<hr/>	199.00	Blanket	199.00

April 9th, 7:45 P. M. Fire in block, Main St., owned by A. C. Alexander and occupied by Isaac Baty, merchant. Caused by fall of kerosene lamp.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$10,000.00	None.	\$6,500.00	None.
Contents,	7,000.00	\$20.00	3,500.00	\$20.00

April 19th, 9:35 A. M. Fire on roof of residence occupied by W. A. Bean, Centre St. Caused by sparks from chimney. No loss.

June 12th, 8:20 P. M. Fire in residence, corner of Spring and Centre Sts., owned by Rev. J. W. Bean and occupied by Herman Frost, Mrs. Moses Bean and James H. Moody. Cause kerosene stove in shed.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$2,500.00	\$525.00	\$1,600.00	\$525.00
Contents:				
Rev. J. W. Bean,	50.00	50.00	None.	None.
H. Frost,	500.00	100.00	None.	None.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Mrs. Moses Bean,	450.00	50.00	None.	None.
J. H. Moody,	200.00	50.00	None.	None.

June 28th. Fire on roof of Chadwick's block, Main St., owned by John Chadwick and occupied by J. F. Hastings, M. S. Peaslee and F. E. Bean. Caused by sparks from chimney.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$4,000.00	\$5.00	\$2,000.00	\$5.00
Contents,	6,000.00	None.	1,100.00	None.

Oct. 6th. Chimney fire in residence of John D. Fife at the Borough. No loss.

Oct. 9th. Brush fire near Willow Hollow. No loss.

Oct. 9th. Fire in store house owned by the Penacook Gun Club. Caused by boys playing with matches.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$15.00	\$15.00	None.	\$15.00*

(*) Paid by boys' parents.

Oct. 10th. Brush fire near Willow Hollow. No loss.

Oct. 11. Chimney fire in residence of Mary Jones, Cross St. No loss.

Oct. 15th. Fire in residence on Merrimack St., owned by the Bean and Warren heirs and occupied by Felix Guyette and David La Duke. Cause unknown.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$1,500.00	\$125.00	\$800.00	\$125.00
Contents:				
F. Guyette,	75.00	75.00	None.	None.
D. La Duke,	75.00	None.	None.	None.

Dec. 2nd. Fire in residence of John H. Taylor, Charles St. Caused by over-heated chimney.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$2,000.00	\$34.44	\$1,550.00	\$34.44

WEST CONCORD.

Mar. 7th, 7:55 A. M. Fire in residence, Main street, owned by Concord Manufacturing Co. and occupied by James Williams. Cause unknown.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$2,000.00	\$20.00	\$2,000.00	\$20.00
Contents,	500.00	75.00	500.00	75.00

May 22nd, 11:20 A. M. Brush fire near Claremont crossing.
See alarm from box 9, same date.

EAST CONCORD.

April 22nd, 4:00 P. M. Brush fire on land owned by O. W. Coon.

April 22nd, 9:30 P. M. Brush fire on land owned by O. W. Coon.

April 29th, 6:30 P. M. Brush fire on land owned by J. T. Batchelder.

May 9th, 8:00 P. M. Brush fire on land owned by J. T. Batchelder.

Oct. 11th, 8:00 P. M. Brush fire on land owned by E. C. Eastman.

Oct. 18th, 4:00 P. M. Brush fire on land owned by John Potter.

SUMMARY.

Buildings.	value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.	Net loss.
Precinct.....	\$120,460.00	\$6,584.30	\$74,400.00	\$5,591.80	\$942.50
Penacook.....	20,415.00	1,808.44	12,700.00	1,158.44	150.00
W. Concord.....	2,000.00	20.00	2,000.00	20.00	
Total.....	\$142,875.00	\$7,857.74	\$89,100.00	\$6,765.24	\$1,092.50
Contents:					
Precinct.....	\$32,890.50	\$3,482.00	\$18,205.70	\$1,656.22	\$1,825.78
Penacook.....	16,788.97	2,788.97	5,850.00	770.00	1,968.97
W. Concord.....	500.00	75.00	500.00	75.00	
Total.....	\$50,129.47	\$6,290.97	\$24,055.70	\$2,501.22	\$3,789.75
Buildings.....	\$142,875.00	\$7,857.74	\$89,100.00	\$6,765.24	\$1,092.50
Total buildings and contents.....	\$193,004.47	\$14,148.71	\$113,155.70	\$9,266.46	\$4,882.25

These figures are taken from the blanks returned by those who have suffered loss by fire, and, small as the net loss apparently is, it is far larger than the facts warrant. In justice to the insurance companies and the fire department, hereafter, no net loss will be recognized in cases where the amount of insurance carried is sufficient to cover the loss, unless notice is given at the time of adjustment that said adjustment is unsatisfactory.

APPARATUS AND FORCE.

The apparatus and force of the department is as follows:

Precinct, located at the Central fire station, one first-class Amoskeag engine, "Eagle," with modern hose wagon, attached to Eagle Steam Fire Engine company (13 men); one second-class Amoskeag engine, "Kearsarge," and modern hose wagon, attached to the Kearsarge Steam Fire Engine company (13 men); one second-class Amoskeag engine, "Governor Hill," relief steamer, in charge of an engineer and fireman; one double 60-gallon Holloway chemical engine in charge of two permanent men; one ladder truck, "City of Concord," attached to hook and ladder company (21 men). There are ten horses owned by the city kept at this station. The precinct companies have swing harnesses upon all apparatus except steamers. There are six permanent men located at the Central station and one permanent man at each hose house within the precinct.

The Alert Hose company (11 men), located on Washington street, has a modern hose wagon with permanent man and horse.

The Good Will Hose company (11 men), located on the corner of Concord and South State streets, has a modern hose wagon with permanent man and horse.

Veterans' Auxiliary company (29 men).

The "Pioneer" steamer, at Penacook (28 men), is a fourth-class Silsby, with hose wagon.

The Cataract company (30 men), at West Concord, has a Hunneman 6-inch cylinder hand-engine, and a second-class 4-wheel reel, Amoskeag make, drawn by one horse, and provided with swing harness.

Old Fort company, at East Concord (30 men), has a 4 1-2-inch cylinder Hunneman hand-engine.

HOSE.

Fabric:	
Precinct	8,450 feet.
Penacook	2,200 "
West Concord	750 "
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11,400 feet.	
Leather:	
East Concord	450 feet.

PUBLIC RESERVOIRS.

	Capacity, cubic feet.
1. Main street, opposite Abbot-Downing Co.'s.	1,000
2. Main street, middle front state house yard.	1,500
3. Main street, rear city hall.	2,000
4. State street, corner of Washington street *.	2,000
5. Rumford street, near Mrs. Josiah Minot's.	1,000
6. Orchard street, corner of Pine street *.	4,000
7. School street, corner of Summit street *.	3,500

* Brick, cemented.

While the number of alarms has exceeded all previous records it has been the city's good fortune to enjoy comparative immunity from fire loss.

The apparatus is in good condition. The supply wagon has been retouched and varnished.

Steamer Gov. Hill has been thoroughly repaired.

Steamer Pioneer has been painted and varnished.

This was done by B. J. Cate, permanent driver, and is a very creditable piece of work.

The apparatus rooms at the Central Fire Station have been painted. A new set of flues has been placed in the stationary boiler at the Central Fire Station, and the chimney rebuilt from the roof to top.

Two horses, five dozen aluminum fire hats and a chief's wagon have been purchased.

All of the hose purchased prior to the year 1893 has been tested and eleven hundred feet have been relined. Sixteen hundred feet are being re-lined at present.

The fire alarm telegraph system is in good condition. The storage battery is doing, in an excellent manner, all that is required of it.

Four fire alarm boxes and three direct action tappers have been added to the system and the main line has been extended about one mile.

There are still large areas unprotected by fire alarm boxes and I respectfully recommend that three boxes, at least, be added to the system during the coming year.

In the interest of economy and safety new heating apparatus should be placed in the Good Will Hose house and the Old Fort Engine house, the former consuming fuel at a ratio disproportionate with results obtained, and the latter being not only unsatisfactory but unsafe.

Respectfully submitted,

W. C. GREEN,
Chief Engineer.

ROLL OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

1897.

Permanent Chief Engineer.

WILLIAM C. GREEN,

Office, Central fire station.

Assistant Engineers.**PRECINCT.**

JOHN J. McNULTY, 1st Asst., Machinist, 7 Railroad square.
 WILLIAM E. DOW, 2d " Painter, 18 Academy St.

JOHN J. McNULTY, *Clerk of Board.***WARD 1.**

ABIAL W. ROLFE, Manufacturer, Penacook St., Penacook.

WARD 2.

JOHN E. FRYE, Farmer, Penacook St., East Concord.

WARD 3.

GEO. W. KEMP, Overseer, Main St., West Concord.

"KEARSARGE" STEAM FIRE ENGINE AND HOSE COMPANY No. 2.**OFFICERS.**SYLVESTER T. FORD, *Captain.*A. H. BRITTON, *Lieut. and Clerk.*JAMES H. SANDERS, *Engineer and Treasurer.***MEMBERS.**

<i>Badge Nos.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
11	Sylvester T. Ford,	Moulder,	41 South Main st.
12	A. H. Britton,	Hardware dealer,	12 Thompson st.
13	Charles H. Swain,	Carpenter,	18 Holt st.
15	James H. Sanders,	Carriage painter,	46 Perley st.
16	Frank E. Heath,	Salesman,	38 Perley st.
18	Charles H. Burgum,	Carpenter,	5 Laurel st.
34	Thomas J. Morrison,	Carriage painter,	32 Downing st.
19	Charles Powell,	Teamster,	62 Rumford st.
35	Earle Bodwell,	Carpenter,	29 Warren st.
20	Elba F. Horne,	Carpenter,	10 Liberty st.
22	Geo. B. Davis,	Carriage painter,	28 North Main st.
21	J. E. Morrison,	Janitor,	8 Thorndike st.
14	B. J. Cate,	Permanent driver,	Central station.
37	F. J. Young,	Permanent driver,	Central station.

EAGLE STEAM FIRE ENGINE AND HOSE COMPANY, No. 2.**OFFICERS.****W. J. COFFIN, Captain.****J. C. MCGILVRAY, Lieut. and Clerk.****MEMBERS.**

<i>Badge Nos.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
24	Walter J. Coffin,	Shipping-clerk,	5 Rumford st.
25	John C. McGilvray,	Jig-sawyer,	26 Maple st.
26	L. W. Tozier,	Barber,	3 Prince st.
30	Thomas D. Gannon,	Machinist,	16½ Downing st.
38	Charles H. Sanders,	Machinist,	112 Pleasant st.
31	John H. Spellman,	Blacksmith,	88 Concord st.
36	Orrin C. Hodgdon,	Stationary engineer,	31 Beacon st.
32	David J. Adams,	Janitor,	White's opera house.
34	William W. Brown,	Photographer,	23½ Pine st.
38	William A. Sewall,	Expressman,	90 Warren st.
27	Geo. H. Downing,	Electrician,	12 South st.
29	Oscar Pelkey,	Harness-maker,	12 Lyndon st.
39	William J. Bailey,	Permanent driver,	Central station.

GOVERNOR HILL STEAMER, No. 4.**RELIEF ENGINE.**

<i>Badge Nos.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
17	Elmer H. Farrar, <i>Engineer,</i>	Machinist,	78 South State st.
23	Henry O. Powell, <i>Fireman,</i>	Blacksmith,	16 North Spring st.

ALERT HOSE COMPANY, No. 2.**OFFICERS.****FRED W. SCOTT, Captain.****GEO. L. OSGOOD, Lieut. and Clerk.****GEO. L. OSGOOD, Treasurer.****MEMBERS.**

<i>Badge Nos.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
37	Fred W. Scott,	Builder,	48 Lyndon st.
38	George L. Osgood,	Book-keeper,	45 Green st.
39	James Jepson,	Carpenter,	51 Franklin st.
40	James Crowley,	Barber,	115 Warren st.
41	J. H. Seavey,	Stone-cutter,	Alert Hose house.
42	C. H. Rowell,	Carpenter,	23 Concord st.
43	L. B. Putney,	Carpenter,	8 Abbott st.
44	Joseph Brunell,	Blacksmith,	60½ Washington st.
45	C. J. French,	Stone-cutter,	5 Perkins st.
46	Charles C. Chesley,	Carpenter,	11 Prince st.
48	Ira W. Sanborn,	Permanent driver,	Alert Hose house.

GOOD WILL HOSE COMPANY No. 3.

OFFICERS.

JOHN C. MILLS, *Captain.*HIRAM T. DICKERMAN, *Lieut. and Clerk.*CHARLES C. NUTTER, *Treasurer.*

MEMBERS.

<i>Badge Nos.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
50	John C. Mills,	Blacksmith,	34 Downing st.
51	Hiram T. Dickerman,	Painter,	18 Hall st.
54	George H. Sawyer,	Blacksmith,	45 South Main st.
55	Charles C. Nutter,	Painter,	39 Laurel st.
52	John E. Gove,	Wood-worker,	69 North State st.
58	Charles A. Richards,	Wood-worker,	45 South State st.
57	Jasper R. Mudgett,	Wood-worker,	98 South State st.
60	Frank S. Putnam,	Packer,	96 South State st.
56	H. H. Ash,	Machinist,	26 Pierce st.
61	E. D. Clark,	Spring-maker,	8 Mills st.
58	Oscar H. Thomas,	Permanent driver,	Good Will Hose house.

CHEMICAL ENGINE COMPANY, No. 1.

<i>Badge Nos.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
91	M. S. Wakefield,	Permanent engineer and driver,	Central station.
92	J. A. Mills,	Permanent assistant engineer,	Central station.

CITY OF CONCORD HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY, No. 1.

OFFICERS.

WILL A. KING, *Captain.*ED. E. LANE, *Lieut. and Clerk.*

MEMBERS.

<i>Badge Nos.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
63	Will A. King,	Machinist,	38 Franklin st.
64	Edward E. Lane,	Carriage-builder,	5 Fremont st.
65	Benjamin Ouillette,	Carpenter,	10 Jefferson st.
66	Henry V. Tittlemore,	Teamster,	6 Avon st.
67	John A. Sargent,	Carpenter,	6 Fremont st.
68	Daniel B. Dow,	Teamster,	54 Church st.
69	John M. Davis,	Blacksmith,	65 Pleasant st.
70	Will F. King,	Builder,	38 Tremont st.
71	Frank T. Bean,	Carriage-builder,	11 Elm st.
72	Lucius D. Caldon,	Carriage-builder,	13 West st.
73	George W. Grover,	Carriage-builder,	29 Thorndike st.
74	Fred A. Dodge,	Hackman,	35 Fayette st.
75	J. L. Liberty,	Carpenter,	7 Harvard st.
76	Stephen P. Foster,	Carriage builder,	47 Perley st.
77	Harris Goodwin,	Carpenter,	5 North Spring st.
78	Milton S. Lull,	Carpenter,	5 Allison st.
79	John F. Kelley,	Machinist,	11 Pierce st.
80	S. B. Morgan,	Carriage builder,	10 Avon st.
81	Daniel Crowley,	Coachman,	1 Hill's avenue.
82	B. W. Hall,	Carpenter,	78 South st.
96	Amos P. Turner,	Permanent driver,	Central station.

PIONEER STEAM FIRE ENGINE COMPANY, No. 3.

Penacook.

OFFICERS.

JOHN H. ROLFE, *Captain.*
 EDDIE C. DURGIN, *Lieut. and Clerk.*
 JOHN B. DODGE, *Treasurer.*

HENRY ROLFE, *Foreman of Hose.*
 WALTER H. ROLFE, *Engineer.*
 LESLIE H. CROWTHER, *Steward.*

MEMBERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
John H. Rolfe,	Foreman of saw-mill,	Summer st.
Eddie C. Durgin,	Carpenter,	Main st.
John B. Dodge,	Asst. postmaster,	Merrimack st.
Henry Rolfe,	Carpenter,	Penacook st.
Walter H. Rolfe,	Machinist,	Merrimack st.
George H. Sager,	Machinist,	High st.
Enoch E. Rolfe,	Cabinet-maker,	Church st.
Leslie H. Crowther,	Plumber,	Summer st.
William C. Ackerman,	Machinist,	Washington st.
David S. Marsh,	Cabinet-maker,	Centre st.
Samuel G. Sanborn,	Blacksmith,	Union st.
Edwin B. Prescott,	Butcher,	Main st.
George H. Tucker,	Blacksmith,	Main st.
Harper S. Allen,	Cabinet-maker,	Merrimack st.
Frederic C. Ferrin,	Cabinet-maker,	High st.
Lester W. Prescott,	Saw-maker,	Main st.
Ruel G. Morrill,	Farmer,	Washington st.
Peter A. Keenan,	Cabinet-maker,	High st.
Daniel Smith,	Butcher,	Summer st.
Fred M. Dodge,	Glazier,	Merrimack st.
Lawrin W. Rolfe,	Carpenter,	Summer st.
William Taylor,	Carpenter,	Main st.
Clarence A. Davis,	Carpenter,	Charles st.
Harry G. Rolfe,	Book-keeper,	Penacook st.
Albert E. Huff,	Baker,	Washington st.
Fred H. Morrill,	Sash-maker,	High st.
John W. McNeil,	Shipping clerk,	Union st.

OLD FORT ENGINE COMPANY, No. 2.

East Concord.

OFFICERS.

ELBRIDGE EMERY, *Captain.*GEO. O. ROBINSON, *Lieut. and Clerk.*JOHN C. HUTCHINS, *Treasurer.*CHARLES P. WHITE, *Steward.*

MEMBERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
Elbridge Emery,	Butcher,	Potter st.
George O. Robinson,	Salesman,	Penacook st.
John C. Hutchins,	Engineer,	Penacook st.
Cyrus E. Robinson,	Clerk,	Penacook st.
Joseph E. Plumer,	Painter,	Penacook st.
Shad. Cate,	Farmer,	Pembroke st.
Daniel B. Sanborn,	Farmer,	Shaker st.
William L. Bachelder,	Farmer,	Potter st.
William H. Smith,	Farmer,	Shaker st.
James L. Potter,	Milk-dealer,	Potter st.
Samuel G. Potter,	Milk-dealer,	Appleton st.
Ross W. Cate,	Blacksmith,	Shawmut st.
Charles P. White,	Stone-cutter,	Pembroke st.
William E. Virgin,	Carpenter,	Penacook st.
Arthur Swain,	Moulder,	Penacook st.
Chase Boynton,	Belt-maker,	Penacook st.
Daniel Pottingill,	Farmer,	Penacook st.
Albert H. C. Knowles, Jr.,	Stone-cutter,	Penacook st.
George Cate,	Blacksmith,	Penacook st.
Reuben Cate,	Carpenter,	Mill st.
Jefferson Durgin,	Milk-dealer,	Shawmut st.
John Spaulding,	Moulder,	East Clinton st.
Elvin Culver,	Shoemaker,	Portsmouth st.
Louis E. Radford,	Painter,	Portsmouth st.
Fred S. Farnum,	Carpenter,	Penacook st.
Arthur H. Tenney,	Milk-dealer,	Potter st.
John Cate,	Carpenter,	Mills st.
Bert Knowles,	Carpenter,	Shawmut st.
Edward Atwood,	Butcher,	Potter st.
Wm. A. Cowley,	Merchant,	Penacook st.

CATARACT ENGINE COMPANY, No. 2.

West Concord.

OFFICERS.

JEREMIAH COTTER, *Captain.*ANDREW J. ABBOTT, *Treasurer.*HIRAM E. QUIMBY, *Lieut. and Clerk.*PATRICK CONWAY, *Steward.*PATRICK RYAN, *Foreman of Hose.*

MEMBERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
Jeremiah Cotter,	Blacksmith,	Main st.
Hiram E. Quimby,	Stone-cutter,	Main st.
Andrew J. Abbott,	Farmer,	Main st.
Patrick Conway,	Engineer,	Main st.
Patrick Ryan,	Stone-cutter,	Hutchins st.
James E. Fannon,	Stone-cutter,	Main st.
Abial C. Abbott,	Quarryman,	Main st.
Thomas P. Hearn,	Engineer,	Main st.
Nathan Martin,	Mill operative,	Main st.
James W. Welsh,	Expressman,	Main st.
Fred W. Peabody,	Steam driller,	Main st.
John Caldbeck,	Mill operative,	Main st.
James W. Powers,	Stone-cutter,	Main st.
Lawrence E. Hearn,	Mill operative,	Main st.
John P. Benson,	Quarryman,	Lake st.
William N. Harrington,	Mill operative,	Hutchins st.
Lemuel O. Peabody,	Stone contractor,	Main st.
Frank C. Blodgett,	Stone-cutter,	Main st.
Theodore Wilmot,	Mill operative,	Main st.
Edward Lovering,	Stone-cutter,	Main st.
James Abbott,	Stone-cutter,	Main st.
John P. Harrington,	Stone-cutter,	Hutchins st.

VETERANS' AUXILIARY COMPANY.

OFFICERS.

D. B. NEWHALL, *Captain.*J. J. McNULTY, *1st Lieut.*FRED LEIGHTON, *2d Lieut.*FRED LEIGHTON, *Clerk.*

MEMBERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Names.</i>
D. B. Newhall,	Oliver Thompson,
J. J. McNulty,	John Ahern,
Fred Leighton,	Frank E. Warren,
John M. Hill,	James G. Leighton,
James A. Johnson,	Sydney S. Upham,
Henry M. Gibney,	Lewis C. Carter,
Ira C. Evans,	George A. Mitchell,
James A. Ward,	William F. Carr,
William Badger,	Will C. Wingate,
J. Ed. Morrison,	Fred U. Lane,
Benjamin Bileborough,	Charles E. Palmer,
William M. Lever,	Charles H. Smith,
David J. Rolfe,	Frank H. Silver,
Henry Tucker,	George A. Ordway,
Charles C. Hill,	Thomas P. Sanborn.
Charles C. Moore,	

Report of the History Commission.

The history commission is able to report gratifying progress the past year in both the preparation of the material for the city history and in the securing of subscriptions therefor. It is the expectation of the commission that the history will be completed and in the hands of the printer before the close of the present year. There have been no more delays and disappointments in this work than are usual in undertakings of this kind. The commission has pursued the plan marked out by it in the beginning, and conducted the enterprise upon a business basis, believing that the work, undertaken under the auspices of the city government, could be made to pay for itself. In this plan they have received the cordial coöperation of our citizens in many ways. The members of the history commission and of the present city government headed the subscription lists, and several of those who were invited to assist in the preparation of material have contributed their articles without expense to the city. The subscriptions have already exceeded the amount advanced by the city government, and there is now every reason to believe that whatever is advanced by the city to pay for the preparation and publication of the history will be returned to it immediately after the history is put on sale.

JAMES O. LYFORD,
Secretary.

The Auditor's Report.

The ordinance creating the office of auditor and defining his duties has been in force nearly two years, and a brief review of the work accomplished under it may not be amiss at this time. The retirement of the present occupant of the position at an early day permits him to speak with entire freedom of the duties of the office and of the system of conducting the city business, which has been the outgrowth of this ordinance. At the time the ordinance was passed, nearly all of the departments drew their appropriations in bulk and made their disbursements directly to their employes, paying all bills or expenses incurred, and, at the end of the year, returning their vouchers to the city clerk. An annual examination was made of the accounts of the city treasurer and city clerk, but, until after the auditor ordinance, no general examination was made of the several departments. With the exception of the tax collector for the years 1891 to 1895, there is no reason to believe from subsequent examinations made that these departments were conducted otherwise than honestly and with due regard to the interests of the city. In changing the system from that of several treasurers to one, and requiring all disbursements to be made directly by the city treasurer upon orders of the city clerk, the auditor has met with the coöperation of every department, and so satisfactorily has the system worked that not one of these departments would return to the old methods of paying the bills of the city.

In accordance with the spirit of the auditor ordinance, there has been a radical change in the method of making appropriations for the several departments. Until 1897, these appropriations were made in lump sums for each department, without specifying how the money should be used. Each department

was the sole judge of its purchases within the scope of its appropriation. The estimates made by them at the beginning of the year were general in their character, indicating little more than the gross sum that would be needed for the department during the fiscal year. A system of transfers prevailed by which, at the close of the year, the unexpended balances of one department could be used for another that had exceeded its appropriation. If the department kept within its appropriation, it was assumed that it had done well. The public, who knew nothing of the details, judged the several departments by the gross sums that were appropriated for their service. When it was first proposed to itemize the appropriation bills, it was urged by some of the departments that it would be difficult to estimate for the entire year; but the record of the year shows that these estimates were made with an intelligent knowledge of the needs of the departments, for in very few instances did it become necessary, at the close of the year, to modify the appropriations made at the beginning. There is another advantage to this method of making appropriations which is appreciated by all of the departments, and that is that the public thoroughly understands at the beginning of the year how it is proposed to expend the appropriations; and that, while the aggregate in some instances may seem large, the departments are relieved of criticism when a scrutiny of the specific items shows that there is neither extravagance nor wastefulness.

The method of keeping the accounts of the city has been made to correspond with this detailed system of appropriating the money, so that the books of the auditor show at any time the exact standing of each individual item of the appropriation bill. Each department has been furnished with a book that corresponds in form to that kept by the auditor, thus enabling it to have as complete knowledge as the auditor of the expenditures made under each item.

Before the passage of the auditor ordinance, some of the departments were in receipt of funds popularly known as the "earnings" of those departments, which, though deposited in the treasury, were expended by them in connection with their appropriations. These funds are now no longer deposited to

the credit of these departments, but follow the course of other receipts of the city, and can only be used upon vote of the city government. The cost of each department is therefore entirely shown in the appropriations made therefor.

The auditor being a salaried official, his services have been very properly called in requisition by the city government and its committees for work that was formerly done by these committees. The members of the city government receive no pay for their services as such, and only a nominal compensation for committee work. Being for the most part busy men, they have felt that more time could be given and fuller investigations made by the auditor than if the work were performed by themselves. The principal work of the auditor in examining the accounts of the departments is necessarily in the tax collector's office. Here a new system of receipts has been instituted, with the approval of the city government and of the board of assessors. In brief, it comprises receipt books for each ward, in the form of a check book, which are prepared by the auditor from the list book as submitted by the assessors. The stub contains the same information as the receipt, and the latter bears on the back thereof the official certification of the auditor. Before this method was introduced, no satisfactory examination of the tax collector's books could be made until near the close of the year, except by making inquiries of all tax payers whose taxes appeared unpaid. This was not feasible until near the close of the fiscal year, because the greater number of the tax payers do not pay their taxes until after the time of discount has expired. The present system would be more perfect in its accountability if some change could be made in the method of collecting poll taxes. At present, the tax collector practically waits upon the convenience of the tax payer who pays simply a poll tax, and the small fee of twenty cents which he is authorized to collect of delinquents who do not pay by the first of September, is undoubtedly the hardest earned of his compensation. It is probably not feasible to make a change this year, but another year it may well be the subject of consideration.

When the office of auditor was created, there was but a vague impression in regard to its duties. An examination, however,

of the auditor ordinance, which is republished in this report, will, with this resumé of what has been accomplished, give a pretty clear idea of the importance of the office and the time taken in the discharge of its duties. It is a position second to none in the city government, and it calls for the exercise of judgment and tact as well as a thorough knowledge of city affairs. The mere examination of bills and accounts as they are presented is but a small part of its labor, and it is an office that can be made valuable or valueless to the city according to the character of its occupant. The legislature of the state, several years ago, authorized cities to create the office, and, in the cities of this state and other states where such an officer has been employed, the conviction prevails that his salary is an economical expenditure of money in the results attained. Naturally, changes made by the auditor in the system of doing business in a municipality would be more marked the first year or two after the creation of the office; yet any new incumbent of the position here should enter upon his duties with the expectation that still further improvements can be made, which will suggest themselves to him as he familiarizes himself with the work and which will meet the approval of the city government when they are thoroughly understood.

In leaving the office, the present incumbent desires to express his deep obligations to the mayor, the members of the city council, and the heads of all departments, for the kindly manner in which they have received his suggestions of changes and for the cordial coöperation with which they have aided him in the discharge of his duties.

JAMES O. LYFORD,
City Auditor.

Auditor Ordinance.

CITY OF CONCORD.

In the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety-Six.

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE OFFICE OF CITY AUDITOR, DEFINING HIS DUTIES, PROVIDING FOR HIS APPOINTMENT AND PAY, AND ALSO IN AMENDMENT OF CHAPTERS 4 AND 37 OF THE REVISED ORDINANCES RELATING TO FINANCES AND ACCOUNTABILITY IN EXPENDITURES AND THE SALARY OF THE CITY CLERK, AND CHAPTER 33 OF SAID REVISED ORDINANCES RELATING TO PRINTING OF THE CITY REPORTS.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

SECTION 1. There shall be appointed at the commencement of each municipal term a joint standing committee on accounts and claims, to consist of two members of the board of aldermen and two members of the common council. There shall also be appointed by the mayor, with the approval of the board of aldermen, at the commencement of each municipal term, an auditor, who shall continue in office during said term and until his successor is appointed and qualified.

He shall give bond satisfactory to the board of mayor and aldermen in the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) for the faithful performance of his duties.

In case of any vacancy by death, resignation, removal, or inability to perform his duties, a successor shall be appointed to fill out the unexpired term.

He shall receive in full for his services the sum of one thousand dollars per annum, payable monthly.

He shall occupy an office in the city building, and have the use of a safe belonging to the city.

SEC. 2. All accounts and claims against the city shall be laid

before said auditor, who shall carefully examine the same and see that they are correctly cast, and present the same, folded, filed, and numbered, with his approval endorsed thereon, to the committee on accounts and claims. No account or claim, except judgments of judicial courts, shall be received or acted upon by said auditor, or said committee, unless such account or claim shall be accompanied with the approval of the officer, committee, or agent authorized in behalf of the city to make the contract, or cause the expenditures to be made. In case there are bills or accounts which said auditor shall not approve, he shall present them to said committee on accounts and claims, with his reasons for refusing to approve the same. The committee shall then consider them, and allow or reject them as they shall see fit.

Said committee shall meet once, at least, in each month, and carefully examine and audit all accounts and claims so approved and laid before them, and shall allow and pass the same if found to be correct and justly due, and make report thereof to the city council.

All claims which are not otherwise provided for shall be referred to said committee, and their decision shall be laid before the city council for action.

The auditor shall keep a book in such manner and form as the said committee shall direct, wherein he shall enter the date and amount of every account and claim against the city as finally corrected and allowed by said committee; and also the name of the person to whom the same has been allowed, designating the fund or appropriation from which the same shall be paid. He shall be under the general control and supervision of the committee on finance and the committee on accounts and claims, in regard to the due and proper discharge of all his duties, and shall act as clerk of said committees and keep a proper record of their proceedings.

SEC. 3. The auditor, under the direction of the committee on finance, shall keep a book or ledger, in which he shall enter the various appropriations made by the city council, each under its appropriate head, and charge to each the different payments and expenditures which from time to time shall be made therefrom.

Whenever any appropriation has been expended, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the mayor, the city council, and to said committee on accounts and claims, and neither the auditor nor the committee shall pass or allow any claim or account

chargeable to such appropriation until the city council shall have provided the means of paying the same. The auditor shall also open an account with the city treasurer, charging him with the amount of loans to the city and all sums of money paid to him on behalf of the city; and also with all bonds, notes, mortgages, or other securities in the hands of the treasurer, or which may pass into his hands, belonging to the city, to the end that the amount and value thereof may, at any time, be seen on his books.

SEC. 4. No money shall be drawn out of the city treasury, except upon the written order of the mayor, addressed to the treasurer and countersigned by the city clerk, and numbered so as to correspond with the account or claim it shall be drawn to pay; and no account or claim against the city, arising from any contract or agreement for labor or for the purchase or sale of any materials, goods, wares, or merchandise in which any member of the city council, or any officer or agent appointed by the city council, or either branch thereof, has been directly or indirectly interested in a private capacity, shall be approved by the auditor or said committee, nor shall any order therefor be drawn upon the city treasurer, unless such contract or agreement shall have been authorized or ratified by the city council; but such restrictions shall not be construed to prevent the purchase of ordinary supplies from members of the city council who may be engaged in trade, nor the employment of the members of the council in their ordinary vocations, by duly authorized heads of departments.

SEC. 5. In all bills against the city, which shall be presented for payment, each item shall be specifically set forth; and no claim for medical services shall be allowed, unless such services were authorized by one or more of the overseers of the poor; and no claim shall be allowed and paid, unless approved by the city council. The mayor is hereby authorized to draw orders, countersigned by the city clerk, on the treasurer for the payment of all accounts and claims allowed, as provided in this chapter; but he shall not draw an order in payment for any services rendered or any materials furnished for any department beyond the sum specifically appropriated therefor by the city council.

SEC. 6. Any sum of money which shall have been specifically appropriated for the payment of principal or interest due on any

note or other security of the city, or for state or county taxes, may be drawn from the treasury, and paid by the order of the mayor, countersigned by the city clerk, for the purpose for which it was appropriated, without any action on the part of the committee on accounts and claims; and whenever it shall be necessary to pay money in advance on contracts made, or for work begun but not completed, the mayor, upon being satisfied of such necessity, may draw his order, countersigned by the city clerk, on the treasurer for a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars at any one time, taking a proper voucher for the same. The mayor, immediately after drawing the orders provided for in this section, shall notify the auditor thereof.

Sec. 7. Whenever any money shall be drawn from the treasury for the purposes specified in the preceding section, the auditor shall report the same and the amount thereof to the committee on accounts and claims at their next meeting, and shall charge the same under the appropriate head of expenditures.

Sec. 8. All city officers, who shall in their official capacity receive any money on behalf of the city from any source, shall pay to the treasurer the amount in their hands once in thirty days, or oftener if required, except the collector of taxes, who shall make such payment daily whenever the sum in his hands shall amount to five hundred dollars. All other persons, who shall at any time have money in their hands belonging to the city, shall forthwith pay the same to the treasurer. No money received under the provisions of this section shall be used by any department unless the same has been specifically appropriated by the city council.

Sec. 9. In all cases of the payment of money to the city treasurer, he shall give his receipt for the amount to the person paying the same, and shall forthwith deliver to the auditor a duplicate copy of said receipt, to be filed in his office. All city officers and agents receiving money in behalf of said city, shall deliver to the auditor, once in thirty days, a report in detail of the amount received, and what disposition has been made thereof, except in cases otherwise provided.

Sec. 10. The city treasurer shall keep, in a book provided for the purpose, an accurate and true account of all receipts and payments on behalf of the city, making the same conform, in mode of entry, as nearly as may be, with the accounts kept by the city auditor. He shall not pay any money out of the treas-

ury, except upon orders of the mayor, drawn in the form prescribed in the fourth section of this ordinance. He shall, at the end of each six months, certify to the auditor all amounts by him paid for maturing bonds, interest, state or county taxes, or any other purpose; and the auditor shall enter each of said amounts in the ledger under its appropriate head, as provided in section three of this ordinance. He shall, at the close of each fiscal year and when required, lay before the city council a statement of the condition of the treasury, and of all moneys received and paid by him on city account. Whenever he is authorized by the city council to borrow money on the credit of the city, all notes and certificates of indebtedness given therefor shall be signed by the mayor and city treasurer and countersigned by the city clerk, and all such notes and certificates shall be registered in books, kept for that purpose, in the offices of the city treasurer and the city auditor, respectively. Such registers shall describe said notes and certificates by number, date, and amount, the name of person to whom payable, when payable, the rate of interest, and the date of the ordinance or resolution authorizing the same; and no such note or certificate shall be valid until such record shall be made, and the same, when paid, with the date of payment, shall be entered on each of said registers.

SEC. 11. There shall be appointed at the commencement of each municipal term a joint committee on finance, consisting of the mayor, two members of the board of aldermen, and two members of the common council, which committee shall negotiate all loans which shall be authorized by the city council, and shall report the amount to the city treasurer.

SEC. 12. The auditor shall, at the beginning of each financial year, present to the committee on finance, in writing, an estimate of the amount of money necessary to be raised for the current year, under the respective heads of appropriations, and recommending the ways and means for obtaining the same. The committee on finance, after considering the same and making such changes and recommendations as may seem to them desirable, shall lay the same before the city council. All unexpended balances of appropriations, at the close of each fiscal year, shall be covered into the treasury, and no transfer of any unexpended balance shall be made from one appropriation to another. The auditor, at the close of each financial year, shall prepare and

lay before the city council a statement of all the receipts and expenditures of the preceding financial year, giving in detail the amount of appropriation and expenditure for each department. He shall also, at each regular meeting of the city council, present a statement of all expended appropriations, both general and special, with the respective amounts expended and unexpended in each of the same.

He shall annually, in the month of January, make an inventory of the real estate and personal property belonging to the city in the hands of any and all of its officers, agents, or committees, with an estimate of the value thereof in detail, and shall keep a record of all property bought during the year. Such inventory shall be recorded, and an abstract thereof printed in the city report.

Every officer, committee, or agent who shall buy any property for the city, shall immediately notify the auditor in writing, stating what property has been purchased, the date of the purchase, and the price paid.

SEC. 13. The auditor shall, at the close of each financial year, and as much oftener as he shall deem it expedient, examine and audit the accounts of the city treasurer, city clerk, collector of taxes, city marshal, commissioner of highways, city engineer, and all other officers and departments of the city that receive or pay out any money belonging to the city, and for that purpose shall have access to all the books and vouchers in the possession of any of said officers, or of said departments. Said auditor shall not only compare said accounts with the vouchers thereof, but shall ascertain whether all moneys due the city have been collected and accounted for. He shall examine all bonds, notes, and securities in the treasurer's hands belonging to the city, and make report thereof to the city council. The printing of the annual city report shall be under his direction and supervision. Said report shall be prepared and issued on or before March 1st in each year.

SEC. 14. The financial year shall begin and end on the first day of January in each year, and the accounts of all officers of the city shall be made up accordingly.

SEC. 15. Coupon bonds issued by the city of Concord may be registered on the books of the treasurer, and shall thereafter be payable, principal and interest, at the time provided by said bonds only to the registered owner or his order, on the signing

of a receipt therefor, which receipt shall be a voucher for the amount so paid by the treasurer.

SEC. 16. The coupons of bonds registered shall be cut off and destroyed, and a certificate of such destruction shall be recorded on the bond register, and attested by the mayor, city clerk, and treasurer. On the face of the bond shall be printed, "This bond is payable only to ——— or order and is transferable only by assignment on the back, and registration thereof in the register of bonds kept by the treasurer," which certificate shall be signed by the treasurer. Bonds so registered shall thereafter be transferable only by assignment in writing on the bond, and registration of such assignment in the bond register. The bond register shall be kept by the treasurer, and in it shall be recorded the number and description of each bond so registered, the name of the owner, the certificate of the destruction of the coupons, blanks for transfers, and blanks in which shall be noted the date and amount of each payment of interest. When the bond is paid in full, the holder shall receipt therefor on the bond register.

SEC. 17. After the close of the present municipal term, the city clerk shall receive a salary of twelve hundred dollars per annum, payable monthly, in full for his services as city clerk, and in lieu of all fees which he shall receive or be entitled to from any source, by virtue of said office. He shall pay over to the city treasurer, in quarterly payments, all fees and perquisites by him received or to which he may be entitled on account of holding said office, and at the same time shall submit to the auditor a statement in detail of the amount so received, from whom, and on what account.

SEC. 18. Immediately after the passage of this ordinance, an auditor shall be elected, who shall hold office until the commencement of the next municipal term and until his successor is chosen and qualified. He shall give bond and be subject to all the provisions of this ordinance, and shall receive, pro rata, the salary provided for in section one of this ordinance.

SEC. 19. So much of the provisions of chapter four, chapter thirty-three, and chapter thirty-seven of the city ordinances as are inconsistent with this ordinance, and all other ordinances and parts of ordinances that are inconsistent with this ordinance, are hereby repealed.

SEC. 20. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

Passed May 12, 1896.

Mayor's Address.

Gentlemen of the City Council :

We have closed the business of the year 1897, and it may be profitable to take a retrospective view of the past, in the hope that it may give definiteness to our knowledge of affairs and better fit us for our duties in the year to come. The fact that the different departments in their relations with each other, as well as with the chief executive, have been entirely harmonious, is a condition of things that cannot be too greatly appreciated by us all. It is but justice for me to say, as I can with all sincerity, that the more I become acquainted with the plans and purposes of the heads of departments, the more fully I recognize their honest endeavors to faithfully serve the city that has placed them in their positions of trust and responsibility.

With two or three exceptions, all the departments have kept their expenditures within the appropriations, and these exceptions are in great part cases where the excess of expenditure could not have been anticipated. That of streets and highways, in spite of the unprecedented rains that worked so much havoc at three different times, has come to the end of the year with a small unexpended balance, December having proved to be a month requiring an exceptionally small outlay. I want to recommend with all urgency that the names of the streets be placed at all the corners, and that this duty be attended to at the earliest possible moment. In this connection, it may be mentioned that the commissioner of highways should be provided with a proper and convenient stable. It would, in my judgment, be better for the city to own and work more teams of its own. As I stated last month, more than a mile of macadamized road has been made the past year.

The extraordinary repairs necessitated by bad breaks in the

sewers at the time of the heavy rains exhausted the regular appropriations in the sewer department and necessitated the using of sufficient funds from the precinct appropriation for street lighting, and there was no increase of indebtedness to the precinct on this account.

The chief engineer's report shows that the losses by fire in the precinct aggregate \$10,016.30, the net loss being but \$2,768.28. Great saving from the damaging use of water has been effected by the use of the chemical engine, and we can but be thankful for the small loss sustained the past year. It is to be hoped that with such a showing the underwriters may see their way clear to make us a reduction in the rate of insurance. From thorough inspection, I can state that everything connected with the fire department is kept in the very best order, the horses are well trained, and every appliance is kept in readiness for immediate response to a call. The amount that had to be expended over the appropriation for this department, and to be provided for, is accounted for almost wholly by three items which could not be foreseen when the estimates were made. A new set of flues was required in the Central Fire Station, which caused the expenditure of \$56. An alarm box at the new workshops at the railway was put in at a cost of \$130, and the Governor Hill steamer, which was damaged at the Bradford fire, had to be repaired at an expense of \$126. These three items alone aggregate \$312, or nearly the entire amount of the additional appropriation of \$350.

Two small additional appropriations will need to be made, on account of salaries. In appropriating for the salary of auditor, the appropriation was made at the reduced salary, to take effect at the beginning of the fiscal year, but, as the auditor was paid at the old rate up to the 26th of January, the difference will have to be provided for by an appropriation at this time. This is, therefore, not an increase. The sum of \$2,700 was appropriated for the pay of the assessors, who receive a per diem compensation. Their aggregate bills are \$130 in excess of this appropriation.

The appropriation for parks has been exceeded by about \$400. Had the original estimates of the park commissioners

for Rollins park and parks and commons been granted by the finance committee and the city council, the expenditures in their department would have required no additional appropriation.

In our sanitary condition and in the public health we have been greatly favored. Nothing at all serious has interfered with our physical well-being, and we constantly reap the benefit of the "ounce-of-prevention" policy, which is, to keep the city clean and wholesome. Money used for this purpose is always well spent.

Careful observation leads me to believe that the removal of the police department from the domain of politics has been a good thing for the efficiency of our service. I believe the present force is adequate to the protection of our city, and that there will have to be no increase of appropriations in this department.

Contracts made with the Concord Gas company have made quite a saving in the cost of lighting our streets and public buildings. We are very well lighted now, and it is desirable that there should be but few calls for additional street lamps the coming year.

The income from the water-works continues to be satisfactory, and in their improvements for the year they have completed the core wall from the Hopkinton road to the south side of the pond, making it secure at the outlet, so that there need be no apprehension of danger from high water. During the great freshets of the past year, the management of affairs was fully equal to the demand for safety, and it may be of interest to know that water has fallen over the spill-way one hundred and seven days of the year.

Repairs on the roof of the city library are an immediate necessity, and demands in this line will be cheerfully met because of the ever-increasing excellence and efficiency with which all affairs connected with this admirable institution are carried on.

The cemetery commission and the committee on cemeteries, having had a meeting to confer together on the purchase of the Bradley lot to enlarge Blossom Hill cemetery, reported in favor of that purchase, and the city council accepted the report. As

this movement is a provision for the long future, it seems entirely proper that a twenty-year bond should be issued to provide for its payment. This lot includes about thirty acres, and the sum paid is \$5,000. In this connection, I would suggest that the note for \$1,400, carried by the park commissioners for an addition to the White park, be included in the bond.

Our city treasurer has demonstrated the fact that our credit stands high, by the sale of $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. bonds, to the amount of \$25,000, for the South End sewer extension, at such a premium that it nets the city a $3\frac{1}{8}$ per cent. rate. I wish to further suggest, that the city pay a fixed rate of interest for money left in trust for the cemeteries, from the time it is received. By the present arrangement, such funds are liable to lie idle till they can be safely invested, and, as the city will probably be always a borrower of money, it would seem to be well to use cemetery funds, and become directly responsible for them.

The city engineer and his assistants have been kept very busy during the year, and largely in the work of sewers. For the immediate future, the work of defining and re-establishing street lines will be pressing.

We began the new year with a floating indebtedness of \$25,000. Before the taxes of 1897 became available, it was necessary to make an additional temporary loan of \$15,000. These loans, aggregating \$40,000, have both been paid, and, except in anticipation of the taxes of 1898, it will not be necessary to borrow any money this year. The bonded indebtedness of the city has been reduced as follows: \$10,000 of the Water Precinct bonds, maturing November 1, 1897; \$15,000 of the Union School District bonds, maturing July 1, 1897; \$5,000 of the Memorial Arch bonds, maturing July 1, 1897; and \$500 of School District No. 20 bonds, maturing July 1, 1897, have been paid, reducing the interest charges for the coming year by more than \$1,200.

An effort will be made by the finance committee in preparing the appropriations for the current fiscal year to secure a still further reduction in the tax rate of the city. In inviting the departments to make their estimates for this year, they have been reminded that this is the desire of the people of the city, and they

have been requested to ask for no appropriation for improvements or new work where these undertakings can be postponed without detriment to the city. Since the beginning of the new year, there have been many inaugurations of new city governments in different New England cities, and the burden of the song, in nearly all cases, seems to be greater indebtedness and a constantly increasing tax rate. This condition of affairs in so many other places makes us especially appreciate the fact that both our indebtedness and our tax rate are on the descending scale.

The report of the tax collector, that comes before us to-day, showing that but \$356.45 of the 1896 tax remains uncollected, of which \$285.57 is secured by real estate, is a most creditable one. The commissions of the tax collector paid for collections of 1896 and 1897 taxes, exceed the appropriation by \$16.92; but the commissions on \$8,000 of the taxes of 1896, collected in December, 1896, were paid from the appropriation for 1897. The commissions on collections made this year would come within the appropriation.

While we have no official connection whatever with the various industries and business enterprises which engage our citizens, they are the concerns that make up the city, for whose government we are at present responsible, and so they are of real concern to us. Some of our business interests have not been as prosperous for the past year as we could wish. Concord has suffered more from business depression during the last two years than at any time since the panic of 1893, but no more than other localities in the state.

While looking hopefully to the future for a revival of business, it is a cause of especial congratulation that we have been able to look upon the growth of a great industry in this city, which, when completed, is to add largely to the population and the material wealth of the capital. It is all the more gratifying that it has come at a time when other industries have been depressed by the financial situation of the past few years. It has come naturally and easily, and largely through the efforts of some of our citizens, who have long been identified with Concord. It is, therefore, with pleasure that I call attention to the

growth of the railway interests here, which for two years past have gone on so quietly, in a vicinity just a little removed from daily public observation, that probably not many of our citizens realize their great importance.

In order that this growth may be better understood, I have compiled certain facts in relation thereto. I am indebted to Hon. B. A. Kimball for the data.

Concord is, as we all know, a convenient central station between Boston and the termini of its three upper roads. It is likewise convenient to various branch lines which diverge from the main stems. For many trains it is the natural terminal of all these roads. It is a point for exchange of train crews, for the renewal of fuel and material, and for the repair of engines, cars, and all other equipments.

These opportunities existed before the local roads were leased to the Boston & Maine company, but it was not until these roads were consolidated into one system between Boston and the Canada line on the north, and Boston and the Connecticut river on the west, that the public could secure the full benefits that the situation offered, and through reduction of operating expenses enjoy the better service which came with the union of the roads.

Everything favored the development of the railway interests at this point. Land contiguous to the existing railway tracks was vacant, and there was abundant space for growth. The removal of the railway buildings north of the passenger station, and the enlargement of the yard at the north end of the city, presented opportunity for new industries in that locality.

This, then, was the situation when the Boston & Maine company, in 1895, took a lease of the Concord & Montreal Railroad, and began a reorganization of its system between Boston, Worcester, Portsmouth, northern New Hampshire, Vermont, and Canada—a reorganization tending to public convenience and to economical management. This reorganization made Concord a clearing station for the traffic between Boston, Canada, northern New England, and many Western states. Out of this determination grew the construction, at a cost of about \$150,000, of the great freight yard lying east of the passenger

station, and occupying an area of fifty acres. This yard is operated by use of switching engines at either end. The operating force of the yard is composed of eleven switching crews, and such service requires the labor of one hundred and ten men. A special independent telegraph station has been established in this yard, for the prompt and safe handling of the traffic of this valley.

The total length of railway side-tracks within the city limits is forty and one-half miles, of which about one half has been built since the date of the lease to the Boston & Maine Railroad.

At the southern approach to the whole railway yard, a new signal and switching system is in process of installation, and another will shortly be put in at the northerly approach, and thus will be completed the most efficient railway freight yard in New England. The cars that are handled here daily number about 1,400, without including those employed in the local work of Concord. So complete is this freight-train service, so widespread are the Boston & Maine connections, and so much available land borders on the railway tracks, that I cherish the hope that manufacturing plants of various kinds may seek locations in so advantageous a place as Concord.

The central situation which Concord holds in this great railway system has been more generously recognized in the construction of the new and extensive repair shops. They occupy an area of five acres, and have six and one-tenth miles of side-track. The yard in which they stand encloses more than twenty-eight acres. In building the shops, large quantities of granite (mostly from Concord quarries) were used. These shops have more than twice the area under roof of all the former railway shops of the Concord and Northern railroads, and by the use of modern machinery and methods their capacity has been increased in still greater proportion. This capacity is three or four times as great as was that of the old shops, and the new buildings are so arranged that this capacity may be doubled whenever enlargement becomes desirable.

The shops have been built with an outlook to the future. The best features of the most advanced plants in the country

were incorporated in this plant, and they have had from their inception the intelligent personal care and critical monthly inspection of President Tuttle, who manifests the deepest interest therein.

Some details relating thereto may be permissible. The present boiler capacity is 600 horse-power. There are four steam engines of various patterns, and an electric-light plant which furnishes power for the shops, and light for the shops, yards, and stations from Langdon street to Penacook street. There are two electric cranes, capable of lifting the largest engine and carrying it as if it were a toy. There is an organized fire department (a chief engineer, two assistants, and four hose companies of eight men each), with high-pressure city water service, and its own fire-alarm system will be provided.

It takes one locomotive and a crew of men to wait upon the new shops. There are now employed about six hundred men, and when the shops are fully occupied, the number will be from eight hundred to one thousand men. It is expected that fully one half of the entire Boston & Maine equipment will be repaired at these shops. When we consider those who are employed by the railroad in this city, and those who are directly and indirectly dependent upon them for their support, we shall see that Concord's population who have a connection with this great railroad plant numbers from four thousand to five thousand people.

In this connection, attention should be called to the railroad department of the Young Men's Christian Association, to the establishment and support of which, in the two years just past, the Boston & Maine management has contributed nearly \$6,000. The annual cost of maintenance to the company is something more than \$2,000. The association provides baths and dormitories, as well as evening classes in the English branches, mechanical drawing, and lectures on practical subjects throughout the year. The membership of the association is 318; those enrolled in evening classes number about 100, and the average attendance on Sunday services is 42. The average daily visitors to the building are about 100. Opportunities are provided for physical, mental, and spiritual improvement, and evidences

of moral gain might be cited here if it were desirable to do so.

At the request of local granite interests, the railway engineers have nearly completed surveys for a track to the quarries on Rattlesnake hill, which, when constructed, will enable these quarries to successfully compete with tide-water ledges.

To recapitulate, let me say that the sum expended in constructing the great freight yard and the new shops exceeds half a million dollars.

The monthly pay-roll of the Boston & Maine company at Concord is \$59,515.19. The yearly pay-roll is \$714,182.28.

When the shops are fully equipped with machinery and tools, this amount will be greatly increased.

I have expressed, in a previous paragraph, some doubt whether these expenditures and improvements have yet won a full measure of appreciation from our citizens, but I know that as time goes on their full advantages and helps to other growth and greater trade will be apparent to all. It would seem that they have come as a direct fruit of the lease and consolidation, and that without the consolidation they would not have come at all. They have come without struggle or rivalry with other towns. So we may congratulate ourselves that no enmities have been created, and that there will be no bitter harvests to be garnered hereafter.

I am told, by one who has kept a record, that between eighty and ninety tenements have been built the past year, and one of the finest of business blocks, with complete modern improvements, has been recently finished. All these signs of progress are indications of a sound prosperity that may give us a well-grounded hope for the well-being of the city that is so much to us all.

TABLES OF VITAL STATISTICS.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Births Registered in the City of Concord, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1897.

JANUARY.

Date—1897.	Name of the child (if any).	Sex and condition.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of par- ents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
		Male	Female.	Living or still- born.	No. of child, 1st, 2d, etc.					
1	Hattie Marrian.....	.....	Female.	Living	2d	W.	Concord	Provision dealer	Barnstead	West Milton, Canada.
2	Wendell Champlin.....	Male	.....	.....	2d	.....	.....	.....	.....	Canada.
3	Lacy Adelaide.....	.....	.....	.....	5th	.....	.....	.....	.....	England.
8	Mabel Alice.....	.....	.....	.....	8th	.....	.....	.....	.....	Ireland.
4	Beatrice.....	.....	.....	.....	3d	.....	.....	.....	.....	Dummerston, Vt.
4	Gertrude Ardelle.....	.....	.....	.....	4th	.....	.....	.....	.....	Italy.
6	Vera Eleonora.....	.....	.....	.....	3d	.....	.....	.....	.....	Gloucester, Mass.
7	Rosemund Priscilla.....	.....	.....	.....	2d	.....	.....	.....	.....	Sweden.
10	Leon Gordon.....	.....	.....	.....	1st	.....	Lynn,	Quarryman	Concord	Bristol, England.
10	Marie Aurora.....	.....	.....	.....	5th	.....	Concord	Jeweller	England	Canada.
11	Rosa Mary.....	.....	.....	.....	2d	.....	.....	Stone-cutter	Canada	.....
11	.....	.....	.....	.....	6th	.....	.....	Shoemaker	.....	.....
12	.....	.....	.....	.....	7th	.....	.....	Stone-cutter	.....	.....
12	.....	.....	.....	.....	5th	.....	.....	Contractor	Ireland	West Newton, Canada.
13	.....	.....	.....	.....	7th	.....	.....	Blacksmith	Lewiston, Me.	Douglas, Mass.
14	Gladya May.....	.....	.....	.....	3d	.....	.....	Laborer	Italy	Lowell, Mass.
14	Bernice.....	.....	.....	.....	7th	.....	.....	Wool spinner	Boston, Mass.	Springfield.
15	Alphonse Joseph.....	.....	.....	.....	2d	.....	.....	Carpenter	New London	Concord.
16	Clarence E.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Conductor	Wilmot	Sherburne, N. Y.
21	Michael Francis.....	.....	.....	.....	1st	.....	.....	Plumber	Concord	Ireland.
25	Myra Elizabeth.....	.....	.....	.....	2d	.....	.....	Plumber	England	England.
								Table-maker		

23	Ethel May	"	"	2d	Patrick A. Murphy	Annie M. Clinton	"	Stone-cutter.	Canada	Concord.
24	Vicard	"	"	8d	Alexander Bolsvert	Eugenie Senneville	"	Laborer	"	Canada.
25	Frances Mary	"	"	3d	John F. Twomey	Francis Martin	"	Car inspector	Concord	Ireland.
26	George Edwin	"	"	4th	Harry F. Stohrer	Annie A. Beggs	"	Cigar-maker	Syracuse, N. Y.	Concord.
27	Geen	"	"	2d	Harry E. Houston	Ona R. Richardson	"	Carriage manu'r.	Concord	"
28	Ray Harris	"	"	7th	James McBain	Christiana Hender-	"	Stone-cutter	Scotland	Scotland.
29	Mary Emeline	"	"	3d	Harris B. Gregg	Emma G. Annis, (son	"	Barber	Warner	Warner.
30	Ardelina	"	"	1st	Joseph H. Bruneil	Mary J. Flynn	"	Blacksmith	Concord	Ireland.
31	Joseph Edward	"	"	8d	Alf. Landerville	Catherine F. —	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada.
32	Aurora	"	"	2d	Thomas J. Moran	Ida D. Montgoy	"	Blacksmith	Concord	Ireland.
33	Lizzie Louisa	"	"	1st	George L. Batchelder	Julia A. —	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada.
34		"	"	1st	Eli Sturgeon	Anna Fatter	"	Stone-cutter	Laconia	Concord.
35		"	"				"	Laborer	Burlington, Vt.	England.

F E B R U A R Y .

1		Male	Living	3d	Francis Linehan	Marie Ray	W.	Concord	Laborer	Canada	Canada.
2		"	"	1st	Jusua Carlson	Alma Nelson	"	"	Quarryman	Sweden	Sweden.
3	Raymond Scott	"	"	4th	William Bolsvert	Hanum Hall	"	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada.
4	Joseph William	"	"	2d	Edward C. Dow	Alice Belle	"	"	Laborer	Concord	Concord.
5	James Henry	"	"	1st	Adolphus Dufame	Bridget Flynn	"	"	Stone-cutter	Canada	St. Johns, N. B.
6	Harold Bernard	"	"	7th	James F. Halpin	Johanna Connelly	"	"	Laborer	Concord	Henniker.
7	Frank Jones	"	"	2d	James H. Fagan	Clara H. Littlefield	"	"	Laborer	"	Laconia.
8	Charles F.	"	"	5th	Edmund A. Sears	Emily Wilnot	"	"	Dresser tender	Canada	Scotland.
9	Mary Jane	"	"	4th	James M. Goss	Henrietta Fassett	"	"	Laborer	Poultney, Vt.	Canada.
10	Francis Edward	"	"	2d	Lawrence Keenan	Mary E. Higgins	"	"	Teamster	Concord	Ireland.
11	Amelia	"	"	4th	John E. McGuire	Catherine C. McCart	"	"	Axle-maker	Ireland	P. E. Island.
12	Eugene	"	"	3d	Fred Minor	Mary E. Vesey	"	"	Teamster	Northampton	Ireland.
13	Trefly H.	"	"	2d	Omer Labraque	Della —	"	"	Butcher	Canada	West Randolph,
14	Evelyn	"	"	6th	Phillip St. Pierre	Amelia Hebert	"	"	Watchman	Hooksett. [Vt.	Canada.
15	Christine	"	"	1st	Odover Racine	Clovia Pelkey	"	"	Merchant	Concord	Concord.
16	Daniel Leonard	"	"	3d	Robert F. Robinson	Core F. Davis	"	"	Stone-cutter	Canada	Concord.
17	Orrelle	"	"	4th	Oliver Raelin	Malvina Moran	"	"	Letter carrier	P. E. Island	Danbury.
18	Ida Ems	"	"	6th	Daniel J. Doherty	Addie S. May	"	"	Section hand	Concord	Lowell, Mass.
19	Mary Annie	"	"	1st	Thomas Moore	Mary E. Noonan	"	"	Laborer	Ireland	Woonsocket.
20	Albert Joseph	"	"	3d	Chris Martel	Mary Nicholas	"	"	Laborer	Canada	Italy.
21		"	"	2d	Louis Pichette	Malida Garlphy	"	"	Laborer	Italy	Canada. [R. I.
22		"	"	6th	James Moritz	Louise Morin	"	"	Granite-cutter	Canada	Italy.
23		"	"	8d	Pierre Triveau	Varnarin Santa	"	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada.
24		"	"		Paul Coniveau	Marie Simard	"	"	Quarryman	Canada	Canada.
25		"	"		Charles W. Nelson	Sarah Patino	"	"	Grocer	London	Concord.
26		"	"			Triphena Brown	"	"			

BIRTHS.—FEBRUARY.—Continued.

Date—1897.	Name of the child (if any).	Sex and condition.			Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of par- ents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
		Male	Female.	Living or still- born.							
				No. of 1st, 2d, etc.							
19	Grace Frances.....	.....	Female.	2d	Charles W. Colby.....	Elizabeth F. Sullivan	W.	Concord.....	Laborer.....	Henniker.....	Bangor, Me.
20	Florence Lena.....	.....	"	2d	Rodolph B. Frost.....	Bearrice E. Newton	"	"	Painter.....	Concord.....	P. E. Island.
23	Mary Helen.....	.....	"	2d	James A. Robert.....	Katherine A. Garvey	"	"	Teamster.....	Northfield.....	Boscawen.
24	Joseph Aime.....	Male	.....	17th	James A. Robert.....	Oddie Maurer.....	"	"	Laborer.....	Canada.....	Canada.
24	Marie Clemence.....	.....	"	1st	August Valley.....	Dominique Lerocque	"	"	"	"	Lewiston, Me.
25	.....	.....	"	2d	Archie Thibodeau.....	Mary Twombly.....	"	"	"	"	Concord, Mass.
26	.....	.....	"	4th	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
26	Mary.....	.....	"	11th	John Henneberry.....	Emma Tall.....	"	"	Granite manuf'r.....	Ireland.....	Portsmouth.
26	Anna Irene.....	.....	"	1st	Charles H. Johnson.....	Hannah.....	"	"	Engineer.....	Finland.....	Finland.
26	Annie.....	.....	"	1st	John LaTouche.....	Mary Mitchell.....	"	"	Teamster.....	Manchester.....	Oldtown, Me.
27	Mary Josephine.....	.....	"	8th	John E. Farrell.....	Nellie A. Boyle.....	"	"	Stone-cutter.....	Ireland.....	Manchester.
27	.....	.....	"	.....	William Gamelin.....	Emma Lapierre.....	"	"	Laborer.....	Canada.....	Canada.
28	Maria E.....	.....	"	2d	Albert H. Trudel.....	Ida St. Cyr.....	"	"	Clerk.....	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	"
28	.....	.....	"	2d	George J. Janson.....	Octavie J. Beaupre.....	"	"	"	"	"
28	Pierre J.....	.....	"	1st	Joseph Robitaille.....	Elizabeth Belarzen.....	"	"	Laborer.....	"	"
28	.....	.....	"	4th	Albert Taylor.....	Marg't E. Richardson	"	"	Care electric lights	Woburn, Mass.....	Deer Isle, Me.

MARCH.

1	Agnes Elizabeth.....	.....	Female.	1st	Daniel Coakley, Jr.....	Katie Mahan.....	W.	Concord.....	Axle maker.....	Ireland.....	Ireland.
3	Agnes Irene.....	.....	"	2d	Frank McMullen.....	Eliza McNally.....	"	"	Driver.....	Canada.....	Swanton, Vt.
3	Lottie Elmore.....	.....	"	2d	Henry V. Tittemore.....	Jennie Taylor.....	"	"	Teamster.....	Bolton, P. Q.....	Sutton, P. Q.
4	Mary Angelina.....	.....	"	.....	Joseph A. Benoit.....	Arnes Provost.....	"	"	Silversmith.....	Massachusetts.....	Massachusetts.
5	Bessie Vinton.....	Male	.....	7th	Daniel B. Craighte.....	Martha A. Rollins.....	"	"	Stone-cutter.....	Concord.....	Wolborough.
6	.....	.....	"	.....	Joseph Godet.....	Pullmene Cadrat.....	"	"	Mason.....	Vermont.....	Canada.
7	Lillian Roby.....	.....	"	4th	Wm. Arthur Bean.....	Lillian E. Roby.....	"	"	Tinamith.....	Salisbury.....	Sutton.
8	.....	.....	"	.....	George A. Parlee.....	Antoina Caron.....	"	"	"	Massachusetts.....	Canada.
8	Gertrude Annie.....	.....	"	8th	Godfrey Anderson.....	Ida Lomberry.....	"	"	Stone-cutter.....	Sweden.....	Sweden.
9	.....	.....	"	1st	Arthur N. Andrews.....	Gertrude Rosanna.....	"	"	Janitor.....	Sutton.....	Canada.

12	Herbert Hardwick.	"	"	1st	Alfred E. Yeates.	Caroline A. P. Stevens	"	"	Salesman	England	Newburyport, England. [Mass.
13	Annie Maria.	"	"	1st	Geo. B. McCleary.	Annie Frances.	"	"	Electrical goods.	Everett, Mass.	P. E. Island.
14	Margaret Stewart.	"	"	1st	Edward B. Temple.	Margaret Laird	"	"	Stone-cutter.	Canada	Concord.
15	Katharine Bridget.	"	"	3d	Cenerie Brochu.	Amanda Lafaurme	"	"	Stone-cutter.	Ireland	Boscawen.
16	Joseph.	"	"	9th	John Fanning.	Elizabeth J. Cleary	"	"	Merchant.	Danbury	Canada.
17	Francis P.	"	"	5th	Richard Lawton.	Mary Carrigan	"	"	Laborer.	Canada	Newport, Vt.
18	Inest Belle.	"	"	1st	Andrew Charest.	Rose Gahagan	"	"	Laborer.	Ireland	Concord.
19	Helen Teresa.	"	"	10th	Timothy Clancy.	Lucy M. Ham.	"	"	Stone-cutter.	P. E. Island	East Andover.
20	Adeline Viola.	"	"	3d	John T. Houston.	Honora Nolan.	"	"	Barber.	Boston, Mass.	West.
21	Wilmer Herman.	"	"	7th	Wm. E. Marston.	Ellie A. Bryant.	"	"	Conductor	Philadelphia, Pa.	Mancheater.
22	Frances.	"	"	1st	Nath'l W. Waterson.	Minnie J. Emerson.	"	"	Laborer	Hooksett.	Italy.
23	John.	"	"	7th	Godfrey Guilmont.	Ada Lemay.	"	"	Salesman.	Ireland	Fembroke.
24	Margaret.	"	"	2d	Antoine Rossé.	Magdaline Bertsgli.	"	"	Quarryman.	Bow	Mancheater.
25	Herbert Glenn.	"	"	1st	John Harrigan.	Annie Ryan.	"	"	Watchmaker.	Concord	Germany.
26	Kathleen.	"	"	9th	Frank M. Alexander.	Vasia M. Lakeman.	"	"	Wool carbonizer.	Hopkinton.	New London.
27	Agnes Julia.	"	"	1st	Thomas F. Mulligan.	Mary A. McCarthy.	"	"	Steam fitter.	Orford	Concord.
28	Fred William.	"	"	3d	John J. Gurley.	Emma O. Hara.	"	"	Foreman.	Concord	Canada.
29	Harry Leroy.	"	"	1st	Fred O. Libby.	Annie K. Katheret.	"	"	Laundryman.	"	Canada.
30	Omere Arthur.	"	"	1st	Leroy Cochran.	Myrtle Messer.	"	"	Freight agent.	Grafton.	Bellevue Falls, Vt.
31	George Rathburn.	"	"	4th	George D. Waldron.	Grace E. Underhill.	"	"	Shoemaker.	Bradford, Vt.	
32	Richard Thomas.	"	"	5th	Phillippe Descoteau.	Emilie Radeboux.	"	"	R. R. brakeman.		
33		"	"	3d	John K. Martin.	Lorenia E. Stanley.	"	"	Laborer.		
34		"	"	2d	Richard Jacobs.	Margaret Griffin.	"	"			

APRIL.

2	John	Male	Living	1st	W.	Fred J. Johnson.	Catharine Moore.	W.	Concord	Steam fitter.	Maine.	Ireland.
3	Mildred.	"	"	2d	"	George B. Lander.	Eva B. Sanborn.	"	"	Electric inspector.	Concord	Sutton.
4	Elizabeth Atkinson	"	"	1st	"	Augustus F. R. Smart.	Ida B. Putney.	"	"	Stone-cutter.	Huntsville, Ala.	Georgetown, D.C.
5		"	"	2d	"	George W. Lay.	Anna Booth.	"	"	Clergyman.	New York	Pittsfield.
6		"	"	1st	"	Robert W. Verre.	Valentine	"	"	Telegrapher.	Canada	Ireland.
7	Gertrude May	"	"	1st	"	Jed Carter.	Maudie S. Perry.	"	"	Stone-cutter.	Ireland	Canada.
8	William Joseph	"	"	11th	"	John Daly.	Mary Greenwood.	"	"	Laborer.	Canada.	Higbgate.
9	Leon Edward.	"	"	3d	"	Felix Goyette.	Domitille Baragon.	"	"	Carpenter.		
10		"	"	8th	"	Louis J. Sebra.	Melvina M. LaBonta.	"	"			

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2	Joseph Brooks.....	"	6th	James C. Manning.....	Ellen A. Kyle.....	"	"	Carpenter.....	Chelsea, Mass.....	Concord.
3	Auronde.....	"	1st	John L. Hearze.....	Lucy A. Stevenson.....	"	"	Stone-cutter.....	P. E. Island.....	P. E. Island.
4	James May.....	"	5th	E. D. Beaprie.....	Martha A. Shaver.....	"	"	Iron moulder.....	Canada.....	Canada.
5	Eugene Gidon.....	"	2d	Wesley L. Ham.....	Ellian A. Fisher.....	"	"	Laborer.....	"	"
6	Fredric.....	"	4th	Carl Ericson.....	Amelia Benson.....	"	"	Clerk.....	Sweden.....	Sweden.
7	Al Trenoweth.....	"	1st	Edward Miner.....	Selma Durant.....	"	"	Teamster.....	Ceterine, Mass.....	Canada.
8	Estella Georgia.....	"	1st	Frank J. Ritchie.....	Jessie Trenoweth.....	"	"	Mason.....	East Concord.....	England.
9	Harold William.....	"	1st	Stephen L. Hanson.....	Harriet Emery.....	"	"	Stone-cutter.....	Concord.....	Concord.
10	Mabel Lillian.....	"	1st	William H. McGirr.....	Teresa B. Devlin.....	"	"	R. E. employe.....	Concord.....	"
11	Jessie Sarah.....	"	1st	George E. Stevens.....	Alice Abbott.....	"	"	Clerk.....	Salisbury.....	"
12	Bertha.....	"	5th	Charles E. Smith.....	Jessie G. Sargent.....	"	"	Printer.....	Concord.....	Plymouth, Me.
13	Gascondo Lazarl.....	"	6th	Frank R. Noble.....	Nettie J. C. Getchell.....	"	"	Clerk.....	Williamatic, Conn.....	Ireland.
14	Ralph Edward.....	"	3d	Thomas Dauchy.....	Ellen E. Tremble.....	"	"	Shoon-fixer.....	Lawrence, Mass.....	Italy.
15	Laura Murill.....	"	2d	Stephen Quatrepaîne.....	Josephine Battigi.....	"	"	Stone-cutter.....	Switzerland.....	"
16	Thomas Joseph.....	"	8th	Edward S. Blake.....	Clara Berry.....	"	"	Laborer.....	Browesim, Ohio.....	Concord.
17	Silina Nidia.....	"	6th	George E. Hall.....	Ella Bennett.....	"	"	Granite-cutter.....	Alfred, Me.....	P. E. Island.
18	John James.....	"	2d	Michael J. Murphy.....	Catharine McDermott.....	"	"	Laborer.....	Ireland.....	Ireland.
19	John.....	"	7th	Philip Talro.....	Nathalie Reno.....	"	"	Iron moulder.....	Canada.....	Connecticut.
20	Helen Esther.....	"	5th	Chas. H. Hayward.....	Emma J. Burnham.....	"	"	Granite-cutter.....	Fembroke.....	Epsom.
21	Jane Emeline.....	"	3d	James Kinney.....	Alice Harrington.....	"	"	Clerk.....	Ireland.....	Ireland.
22	Marie Anna.....	"	3d	George A. Maxam.....	Lenora Kelley.....	"	"	Laborer.....	Rutland, Vt.....	Chicago, Ill.
23	Joseph Alfred.....	"	1st	Daniel Murphy.....	Catharine.....	"	"	"	Ireland.....	Ireland.
24	Ethel May.....	"	6th	Richard Mannion.....	Mary E.....	"	"	Peddler.....	"	Canada.
25	May Florence.....	"	3d	Dennis O'Brien.....	Celina Marlin.....	"	"	R. E. engineer.....	Canada.....	Elizabeth, N. J.
26	Margaret.....	"	3d	John Leary.....	Bertha Henderson.....	"	"	Laborer.....	Oldtown, Me.....	Oldtown, Me.
27	Mary Ella.....	"	1st	Homer St. Pierre.....	Clemence Lerocque.....	"	"	"	Ireland.....	Norway.
28	Mary Rebecca.....	"	2d	John Owens.....	Sigis Karlsen.....	"	"	Foreman.....	Dunbaron.....	Nova Scotia.
29	Marjorie Clark.....	"	4th	Fred Sawyer.....	Adla McLane.....	"	"	Finisher.....	Canada.....	Canada.
30	Grace F.....	"	4th	Thomas Lapointe.....	Odile Boulet.....	"	"	Stone-cutter.....	Nova Scotia.....	Bellows Falls, Vt.
31	William Augustus.....	"	7th	Rupert F. Walker.....	Laura F. Radford.....	"	"	Merchant.....	Canada.....	Canada.
		"		Peter Jennings.....	Flora Ritchie.....	"	"	Black.....	Tilton.....	Leominster, Mass.
		"		Harry G. Emmons.....	Maude E. Danforth.....	"	"	Clerk.....	Concord.....	Warren.
		"		George F. Quinn.....	Jennie M. Frazier.....	"	"	Paper-hanger.....	Concord.....	Concord.
		"		Robert H. Koife.....	Grace Stearns.....	"	"	Granite-cutter.....	England.....	"
		"		Frederick H. Hill.....	Emma L. Lang.....	"	"	Jeweller.....	Ireland.....	Halifax.
		"		John C. Kenney.....	Mary J. Clinton.....	"	"	Granite-cutter.....	Weare.....	Boscawen.
		"		John P. Page.....	Margaret A. Frazer.....	"	"	"	Concord.....	"
		"		Chas. J. McDonald.....	Margaret J. Johnson.....	"	"	"	"	"

BIRTHS—JUNE.

Date—1897.	Sex and condition.			Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of parents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
	Male	Female.	Living or still-born, etc.							
1 Allen Joseph.....	Male	.....	Living	Daniel F. Gilles.....	Mary A. Matthews.....	W.	Concord	Druggist.	West Concord.	Lawrence, Mass.
2 Dorothy Arlena.....	.....	Female.	1st	Charles W. Bateman.....	Lena A. Taylor.....	"	"	Plumber.	Keene.	Fairfax Vt.
3 George.....	"	"	4th	George Angwin.....	Elizabeth.....	"	"	Granite-cutter.	England.	England.
4 Edith Victoria.....	"	"	3d	Alfred Lamson.....	Idis Carlson.....	"	"	"	Sweden.	Sweden.
5 Doris Grace.....	"	"	1st	Herbert W. Cook.....	Effie May Holt.....	"	"	Printer.	Concord.	Amesbury, Mass.
6 Nila Edwin.....	"	"	2d	Nelson P. Olson.....	Augusta Johnson.....	"	"	Clerk.	Sweden.	Sweden.
7 James M.....	"	"	5th	William Silva.....	May Kane.....	"	"	Granite-cutter.	Sweden.	Ireland.
8 Elsie Amy.....	"	"	1st	Alfred W. Walker.....	Louisa A. Nichols.....	"	"	Electrician.	England.	England.
9 Lawrence George.....	"	"	1st	George H. Drew.....	Matie E. Prentiss.....	"	"	Painter.	England.	Concord.
10 Paul Lawrence.....	"	"	7th	John P. Hanlon.....	Annie L. Hickey.....	"	"	Mechanic.	England.	Concord.
11 Winifred.....	"	"	2d	Lawrence Moxham.....	Winifred O'Brien.....	"	"	Granite-cutter.	England.	Concord.
12 Doris Hannah.....	"	"	2d	John C. Roberts.....	Clara E. Abbott.....	"	"	Blacksmith.	New Hampton.	Foxington.
13 Alfred Laro.....	"	"	2d	Frank E. Warren.....	Hattie E. Booth.....	"	"	Carpenter.	Concord.	Foxington.
14	"	"	8th	Charles I. Ash.....	Ida Benett.....	"	"	Labourer.	Canada.	Salisbury.
15	"	"	5th	Michael Mahen.....	Rose Allaire.....	"	"	.....	Canada.	Canada, N. Y.
16	"	"	5th	Edna J. Ormbee.....	Mary Swinger.....	"	"	Boarding-house.	New Sweden.	Saratoga, N. Y.
17	"	"	.....	Fred G. Bond.....	Ellen J. Gaudin.....	"	"	Labourer.	Saco, Me....	St. John's, N. F.
18	"	"	2d	Alexander Gregory.....	Bessie Corry.....	C.	"	.....	Virginia.	Virginia.
19	"	"	1st	Eugene Bickford.....	Marie L. Ford.....	W.	"	Merchant.	Boscawen.	Concord.
20	"	"	S. B.	Henry Pratt.....	Josephine Gother.....	"	"	Labourer.	Canada.	Canada.
21	"	"	Living	Frank Rodenau.....	Auntie E.....	"	"	.....	"	Vermont.
22	"	"	"	Edward M. Lanciot.....	Auntie E.....	"	"	Brakeman.	"	New York.
23	"	"	1st	Frank Bushey.....	Sarah Blanchette.....	"	"	.....	Manchester.	Canada.

JULY.

Date—1897.	Sex and condition.			Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of parents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
	Male	Female.	Living or still-born, etc.							
1	J. Lanzer.....	Octave Truchon.....	W.	Concord	Carpenter.	Canada.	Canada.
1 Margaret T.....	Female.	6th	Timothy O'Brien.....	Mary Daley.....	"	"	Granite-cutter.	Ireland.	Ireland.
1 Helen.....	"	1st	William F. Carr.....	Carrie E. Coiran.....	"	"	Grocer.	Concord.	Fennbrook.

2	Doris Madaline....	"	"	3d	Charles W. Smith....	C. M. S. Wennberg....	"	"	Merchant.....	Pleton, N. S.....	Gloucester, Mass
3	Sumner Adams.....	"	"	2d	Guy Dow.....	Ida E. ———	"	"	R. R. Fireman.....	Northfield.....	Concord.
4	Ester Lillian.....	"	"	5th	Charles Drake.....	Susan E. Day.....	"	"	Foundryman.....	Tingsborough.....	Litchfield.
5	George Arthur.....	"	"	"	Alphonse Lapierre.....	Marie L. Racine.....	"	"	Quarryman.....	Canada.....	Canada.
6	"	"	"	4th	George H. Elder.....	Jennie M. Skellin.....	"	"	Machinist.....	Nunda, N. Y.....	Maine.
7	Ester Louise.....	"	"	2d	William C. White.....	Annie L. ———	"	"	Letter-carrier.....	Manchester.....	Newport.
8	Henry William.....	"	"	4th	John J. Maloney.....	Mary J. Maloy.....	"	"	Laborer.....	Ireland.....	Ireland.
9	Moses Robert.....	"	"	3d	Charles F. Hillsgrove.....	Emma A. Hildreth.....	"	"	Farmer.....	London.....	Chelmsford, Mass
10	"	"	"	4th	Fred A. Cyr.....	Annie McCann.....	"	"	Laborer.....	Lowell, Mass.....	Ireland.
11	"	"	"	3d	Setesphon Maryulis.....	Exsida Boisvert.....	"	"	Mason.....	Canada.....	Canada.
12	Alice Maude.....	"	"	7th	Ola Hanson.....	Maudie Michaud.....	"	"	Watchman.....	Sweden.....	"
13	"	"	"	4th	Robert M. Clark.....	Mary E. Casey.....	"	"	Clerk.....	Malone, N. Y.....	Concord.
14	Alice Flora.....	"	"	6th	Joseph Ange.....	Della Labbe.....	"	"	Laborer.....	Canada.....	Canada.
15	Rose Ellen.....	"	"	1st	Dennis J. Donovan.....	Rose A. Gallagher.....	"	"	R. R. Conductor.....	Concord.....	Nashua.
16	Catharine Teresa.....	"	"	2d	Dennis F. Hurley.....	Mary Lynch.....	"	"	Quarryman.....	Ireland.....	Ireland.
17	"	"	"	2d	William Trenoweth.....	Mary Ahern.....	"	"	"	"	"
18	Lloyd William.....	"	"	2d	Frank E. Fairfield.....	Lizzie J. Day.....	"	"	Stone-cutter.....	England.....	Manchester.
19	"	"	"	2d	Alexander McKee.....	Alice C. McClure.....	"	"	Farmer.....	Sanborn.....	Connecticut.
20	Eleanor Mary.....	"	"	3d	Edw. W. Brockway.....	Alice S. Gurley.....	"	"	Clerk.....	Ireland.....	Concord.
21	Everett Hollis.....	"	"	2d	Edward E. Farnum.....	Mary Lathard.....	"	"	R. R. Conductor.....	Hartford, Vt.....	P. E. Island.
22	Marie Anna.....	"	"	5th	Frederick Drouin.....	Leda Fournior.....	"	"	Farmer.....	Concord.....	Canada.
23	"	"	"	8d	Adolphe Boudreau.....	Nina Levesque.....	"	"	Laborer.....	"	"
24	Alme.....	"	"	3d	Richard W. Clark.....	Ella M. Slack.....	"	"	"	"	"
25	Maxwell Gordon.....	"	"	8d	Charles C. Currier.....	Mary L. Kilborn.....	"	"	Quarryman.....	Ireland.....	Nova Scotia.
26	Mary Alice.....	"	"	2d	Joseph H. Jackman.....	Addie L. Flinders.....	"	"	Merchant.....	Hopkinton.....	Webster.
27	John R.....	"	"	2d	George H. Matatt.....	Elizabeth V. Delphia.....	"	"	"	Boscawen.....	Boscawen.
28	Florence Delphia.....	"	"	3d	John Lacroix.....	Josephine Carron.....	"	"	Mechanic.....	Essex, N. Y.....	Bridgeport.
29	Joseph Benjamin.....	"	"	7th	Frank B. Elliott.....	Ivy M. Cutting.....	"	"	Painter.....	Germany.....	Canada.
30	Gladys Eldora.....	"	"	1st	Patrick Jordan.....	Mary E. Gendren.....	"	"	Laborer.....	Bow.....	East Concord.
31	Kathleen Gertrude.....	"	"	1st	Wm. E. Callahan.....	Hattie B. Hannaford.....	"	"	Moulder.....	Ireland.....	Concord.
32	Ellen.....	"	"	1st	Edw. P. Burroughs.....	Lulu F. Spiller.....	"	"	Engineer.....	Castleton, Vt.....	West Concord.
33	James Theodore.....	"	"	2d	Solon D. Bugbee.....	Alice M. Parker.....	"	"	Farmer.....	Bow.....	Manchester.
34	Shirley Frances.....	"	"	2d	Edwin P. Howland.....	Henrietta Radford.....	"	"	Carpenter.....	Scotland.....	Pittsfield.
35	Rachel R.....	"	"	2d	Edwin P. Burroughs.....	Lulu F. Spiller.....	"	"	Farmer.....	Bow.....	Concord.
36	Thelma Elizabeth.....	"	"	3d	Solon D. Bugbee.....	Alice M. Parker.....	"	"	Shoe-dealer.....	Mt. Holly, Vt.....	Concord.
37	Ether.....	"	"	1st	Edwin P. Howland.....	Henrietta Radford.....	"	"	Merchant.....	Chelms, Vt.....	Corinth, Vt.
38	Josephine Walker.....	"	"	4th	Sebastian Beltrame.....	Maria H. ———	"	"	Brakeman.....	Wentworth.....	Wentworth.
39	"	"	"	8d	Joseph T. Walker.....	Mary H. S.....	"	"	Granite-cutter.....	Italy.....	Italy.
40	Lena Marion.....	"	"	3d	Almah C. Leavitt.....	Hittie P. Richardson.....	"	"	Farmer.....	Boston, Mass.....	Boston, Mass.
41	"	"	"	3d	"	"	"	"	Painter.....	Concord.....	Concord.

BIRTHS-JUNE.

Date—1897.	Sex and condition.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of parents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
	Male	Female.	Living or still-born.	No. of child, 1st, 2d, etc.					
1	Allen Joseph.....	Male	Living	1st	W.	Concord.....	Druggist.....	West Concord.....	Lawrence, Mass.
2	Dorothy Arlene.....	"	"	1st	"	"	Plumber.....	Keene.....	Fairfax, Vt.
3	George.....	Female.	"	4th	"	"	Granite-cutter.....	England.....	England.
4	Edith Victoria.....	"	"	3d	"	"	"	Sweden.....	Sweden.
5	Doris Grace.....	"	"	1st	"	"	Clerk.....	Concord.....	Anesbury, Mass.
6	Nils Edwin.....	"	"	2d	"	"	Printer.....	Sweden.....	Sweden.
7	James M.....	"	"	5th	"	"	Granite-cutter.....	Boston, Mass.....	Ireland.
8	Elsie Amy.....	"	"	1st	"	"	Electrician.....	England.....	England.
9	Lawrence George.....	"	"	1st	"	"	Painter.....	Wears.....	Concord.
10	Paul Lawrence.....	"	"	7th	"	"	Mechanic.....	England.....	Lancaster, Mass.
11	Winifred.....	"	"	2d	"	"	Granite-cutter.....	Ireland.....	Concord.
12	Doris Hannah.....	"	"	3d	"	"	Blacksmith.....	New Hampton.....	Hopkinton.
13	"	"	"	2d	"	"	Carpenter.....	Concord.....	Lebanon.
14	Alfred Laro.....	"	"	8th	"	"	Laborer.....	"	Salisbury.
15	"	"	"	5th	"	"	"	Canada.....	Canada.
16	Norah May.....	"	"	8th	"	"	Boarding-house.....	New Sweden.....	Saranac, N. Y.
17	George Francis.....	"	"	5th	"	"	Laborer.....	Seco, Me.....[N. Y.	St. Johns, N. F.
18	James Alexander.....	"	"	2d	C.	"	Merchant.....	Virginia.....	Virginia.
19	"	"	"	1st	W.	"	Laborer.....	Bosawen.....	Concord.
20	Annie Cora.....	"	S. B.	1st	"	"	"	Canada.....	Canada.
21	Francis Thomas.....	"	Living	"	"	"	"	"	Vermont.
22	"	"	"	6th	"	"	"	"	New York.
23	Estelle Gertrude.....	"	"	1st	"	"	Brakeman.....	Manchester.....	Canada.

JULY.

1	"	Female.	Living	6th	W.	Concord.....	Carpenter.....	Canada.....	Canada.
2	Margaret T.....	"	"	1st	"	"	Granite-cutter.....	Ireland.....	Ireland.
3	John.....	"	"	1st	"	"	Grocer.....	Concord.....	Fembroke.

2	Doris Madeline...	"	"	3d	Charles W. Smith	C. M. S. Wennberg	"	"	Merchant	Pictou, N. S.	Gloucester, Mass
3	Sumner Adams...	"	"	2d	Guy Dow	Ida E. —	"	"	R. R. Fireman	Northfield	Concord.
4	Esther Lillian...	"	"	5th	Charles Drake	Susan E. Gay	"	"	Quarryman	Tingeborough	Litchfield.
5	George Arthur...	"	"	"	Alphonse Lapierre	Marie L. Racine	"	"	Quarryman	Canada	Canada.
6	"	"	"	"	George H. Elder	Jennie M. Skillin	"	"	Machinist	Nunda, N. Y.	Maine.
7	Esther Louise...	"	"	4th	William C. White	Annie L. —	"	"	Letter-carrier	Manchester	Newport.
8	Henry William...	"	"	4th	John J. Maloney	Mary J. Maloy	"	"	Farmer	Ireland	Ireland.
9	Moses Robert...	"	"	3d	Charles F. Hillsgrove	Emma A. Hildreth	"	"	Farmer	London	Chelmsford, Mass
10	"	"	"	4th	Fred A. Cyr	Annie McCann	"	"	Farmer	Lowell, Mass.	Ireland.
11	"	"	"	3d	Setsophon Maryulis	Exsilda Boisvert	"	"	Mason	Canada	Canada.
12	Alice Maude...	"	"	7th	Ola Hanson	Maudie Michaud	"	"	Watchman	Sweden	"
13	"	"	"	4th	Robert M. Clark	Mary E. Casey	"	"	Clerk	Malone, N. Y.	Concord.
14	Alice Flora...	"	"	6th	Joseph Ange	Della Labbe	"	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada.
15	Rose Ellen...	"	"	1st	Dennis J. Donovan	Rose A. Gallagher	"	"	R. R. Conductor	Concord	Nashua.
16	Catharine Teresa...	"	"	2d	Dennis F. Hurley	Mary Lynch	"	"	Quarryman	Ireland	Ireland.
17	"	"	"	2d	William Trenoweth	Mary Lynch	"	"	"	"	"
18	Lloyd William...	"	"	2d	Frank E. Fairfield	Lizzie J. Day	"	"	Stone-cutter	England	Manchester.
19	"	"	"	3d	Alexander McKee	Alice S. McClure	"	"	Farmer	Sanbornston	"
20	Eleanor Mary...	"	"	3d	Edw. W. Brockway	Mary S. Gurley	"	"	Clerk	Ireland	Connecticut.
21	Everett Hollis...	"	"	2d	Edward E. Farnum	Mary Lathard	"	"	R. R. Conductor	Hartford, Vt.	Concord.
22	Marie Anna...	"	"	5th	Frederick Drouin	Leda Fournier	"	"	Farmer	Concord	P. E. Island.
23	"	"	"	8d	Adolphe Boudreau	Nina Levesque	"	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada.
24	Maxwell Gordon...	"	"	8d	Richard W. Clark	Ella M. Slack	"	"	"	"	"
25	Mary Alice...	"	"	2d	Charles C. Currier	Mary I. Kilborn	"	"	Quarryman	Ireland	Nova Scotia.
26	John R...	"	"	2d	Joseph H. Jackman	Addie L. Flanders	"	"	Merchant	Hopkinton	Webster.
27	Florence Delphia...	"	"	3d	George H. Matatt	Elizabeth V. Delphia	"	"	Mechanic	Boscawen	Boscawen.
28	Joseph Benjamin...	"	"	7th	John LaCroix	Josephine Carron	"	"	Painter	Essex, N. Y.	Bridgeport.
29	Gladys Eldora...	"	"	1st	Frank R. Elliott	Ivy M. Cutting	"	"	Laborer	Germany	Canada.
30	Kathleen Gertrude...	"	"	1st	Patrick Jordan	Mary R. Gendren	"	"	Moulder	Bow	East Concord.
31	Ellen...	"	"	1st	Wm. E. Callahan	Mary T. Ahern	"	"	Engineer	Ireland	Concord.
32	James Theodore...	"	"	2d	Edw. P. Burroughs	Hattie L. Green	"	"	Carpenter	Castleton, Vt.	West Concord.
33	"	"	"	2d	Alfred H. Proctor	Lulu F. Spiller	"	"	Farmer	Bow	Manchester.
34	Shirley Frances...	"	"	2d	Solon D. Bugbee	Alice M. Parker	"	"	Shoe-dealer	Mt. Holly, Vt.	Pittsfield.
35	Rachel B...	"	"	3d	Edwin P. Howland	Henrietta Radford	"	"	Merchant	Chelsea, Vt.	Concord.
36	Thelma Elizabeth...	"	"	1st	Sebastian Beltrame	Maria H. —	"	"	Brakeman	Wentworth	Wentworth.
37	Esther...	"	"	4th	Joseph T. Walker	Mary H. —	"	"	Granite-cutter	Italy	Italy.
38	Josephine Walker...	"	"	3d	Almah C. Leavitt	Hattie P. Richardson	"	"	Farmer	"	Boston, Mass.
39	Lena Marlon...	"	"	3d	"	"	"	"	Painter	Concord	Concord.

BIRTHS.—AUGUST.

Date—1897.	Sex and condition.			Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
	Male	Female	Living or still born. 1st, 2d, etc.						
1	...	Female	Living	George Douglas	Mary Parle	W.	Stone-cutter	Maine	New Hampshire.
3	Ite	...	2d	Michael Doer	Ellen M. Cassidy	"	Moulder	Ireland	Ireland.
4	William	Male	4th	Patrick Foley	Mary A. Ledwidge	"	Axle maker	Concord	Pembroke.
6	William Frost	"	9th	John H. Clark	Etha Clair	"	Delivery clerk	Greenfield	Middlebury, Vt.
6	Theresa Raymond	"	3d	Shadrach M. Cate	Lucy A. Frost	"	Farmer	London	Concord.
7	...	"	1st	Julian Tonella	Leontine Delabarre	"	Granite-cutter	Italy	France.
8	William Floyd	"	2d	William H. Smith	Louella Smith	"	Clerk	Concord	Kansas.
8	Arthur Curtis	"	1st	William C. Abbott	Corinne Shortis	"	Teamster	Pembroke	Lowell, Mass.
11	James Fairfield	"	9th	William H. Reed	Katie Curtis	"	Stone-cutter	England	Concord.
11	Rebekah	"	3d	Moses Goldberg	Elizabeth J. Treboar	"	Peddler	England	England.
11	Raymond Daniel	"	1st	Daniel F. Ahern	Rachel	"	Telegrapher	Russia	Vt.
13	Marie Luise Cora	"	1st	Jean B. Chartier	Mary A. O'Brien	"	Shoemaker	White River Jct.	Russia.
13	...	"	1st	Lewis Crowell	Clara Massicotte	"	"	Canada	Canada.
13	...	"	2d	...	Stella Hoyt	"	Machineist	Shelburne, N. S.	"
13	Gertrude Anna	"	3d	Kingman S. Haselton	Maude R. Miller	"	Guard, State Prison	Manchester	Manchester.
14	Sarah Alice	"	Living	Willis H. Holt	H. Letitia Horn	"	Farmer	Concord	Westmore, Vt.
16	Marguerite	"	8th	Frank W. Sargent	Bertha Atkinson	"	Teamster	Canterbury	Lowell, Mass.
16	Lydia Aurelia	"	2d	Carl Vesta	Mary Johnson	"	Quarryman	Boscawen	Boscawen.
17	Rowland Stanyan	"	3d	Rowland Rhodes	Helen W. Stanyan	"	Sculptor	Sweden	Sweden.
18	John Ephraim	"	1st	John Reed	Susie Culley	"	Stone-cutter	England	Chichester.
18	Catherine	"	4th	James F. Kelley	Mary J.	"	Blacksmith	Quebec	England.
19	Eliza	"	3d	Henry Landry	Liza Monting	"	Laborer	Canada	Concord.
20	Winifred	"	7th	Edward M. Cogswell	M. Madeline Perry	"	Milk-dealer	Concord	Rhode Island.
20	Lucile	"	1st	John Taylor	Mary Brennan	"	Merchant	"	Concord.
23	Lester Hutchings	"	5th	Fridolin Tonseynneut	Emma Bedard	"	Laborer	Canada	Boston, Mass.
23	Helen Cook	"	6th	Frank L. Smith	Mary A. Hutchings	"	Railroad fireman	Concord	Canada.
23	Vera Lillian	"	2d	John H. Currier	Susan A. Cook	"	Grocer	Bedford	Concord.
23	Ervin Albert	"	2d	Blon W. Hall	Maria W. Bean	"	Carpenter	Danville, Vt.	Franklin.
24	...	"	2d	Cheney A. Ashland	Ellen Drapeau	"	Manufacturer	Champlain, N. Y.	Epsom.
24	...	"	3d	...	...	"	...	...	Manchester.

25	Ida Cushman.....	"	"	3d	William M. Carter.....	Nellie M. Hammond.....	"	"	Upholsterer.....	Maine.....	Dunbarton.....
26	William Henry.....	"	"	2d	Arthur S. Terry.....	Agatha Murphy.....	"	"	Painter.....	Nova Scotia.....	P. E. Island.
27	Adia Elizabeth.....	"	"	2d	John Newbury.....	Bertha Anderson.....	"	"	Granite-cutter.....	Sweden.....	Tunbridge, Vt.
28	Elizabeth.....	"	"	5th	Joseph T. Silva.....	Eva M. Ordway.....	"	"	Blacksmith.....	Boston, Mass.....	Vermont.
29	Louis Philippe.....	"	"	"	Adolph Boisvert.....	Anna Cate.....	"	"	Machinist.....	Canada.....	Concord.
30	Henry.....	"	"	12 h	Thomas Dee.....	John J. Lee.....	"	"	Stone-cutter.....	Halifax, N. S.....	Ireland.
31	Margaret Ellen.....	"	"	1st	John T. Daley.....	Margaret W. Morris.....	"	"	Teamster.....	Concord.....	New Brunswick.
32	Nelly Elizabeth.....	"	"	2d	Ed. E. Plummer.....	Mary Mitchell.....	"	"	Foundryman.....	Denmark.....	Maine.
33	Frederick.....	"	"	1st	Peter Hanson.....	Mario Peterson.....	"	"	Teamster.....	Westmore, Vt.....	Readfield.
34	Edward Daniel.....	"	"	2d	Daniel B. Dow.....	Flora Richardson.....	"	"	Stone-mason.....	Canada.....	New Hampshire.
35	Everett Richard.....	"	"	3d	George A. Fox.....	Charlotte A. Jones.....	"	"	Salesman.....	Ireland.....	Nova Scotia.
36	Erna Mae.....	"	"	3d	E. Pichette.....	Mario Boulay.....	"	"			
37	Albert Edward.....	"	"	3d	Hugh Gray.....	Kate E. Robinson.....	"	"			
38	James Alexander.....	"	"	3d			"	"			

SEPTEMBER.

1	Hernes.....	Male	Living	5th	Thomas Brochu.....	Aurelia Allaire.....	W. Concord	Laborer.....	Canada.....	Concord.
2	George Leroy.....	"	S. B.	1st	Fred P. Mahoney.....	Mary J. Smith.....	"	Painter.....	Bangor, Me.....	Scotland.
3	"	"	Living	5th	George E. Williams.....	Grace E. Garrison.....	C.	Shifter, railroad.....	Concord.....	Middleton, Conn.
4	"	"	"	2d	Napoleon B. Laundry.....	Mary Durant.....	W.	Teamster.....	Canada.....	Canada.
5	Alvah Roland.....	"	"	1st	Joseph Bonenfant.....	Julia Mercier.....	"	Laborer.....	Loudon.....	Concord.
6	Nelle Frances.....	"	"	8th	Alvah Powell.....	Hannah B. Atwood.....	"	"	Ireland.....	Ireland.
7	Hildur Signi Ottilia.....	"	"	4th	Martin D. Hyland.....	Mary McElany.....	"	Granite-cutter.....	Sweden.....	Sweden.
8	Girda Henrietta.....	"	"	2d	Karl M. Noeostrom.....	Augusta Magnusson.....	"	"	London, Vt.....	Concord.
9	Ruth.....	"	"	1st	Charles Ekstrom.....	Sigrid Engstrom.....	"	Laborer.....	New Hampton.....	Springfield, Mass.
10	Ethel Emma.....	"	"	2d	Charles H. Young.....	Unice M. Potter.....	"	"	Canada.....	Canada.
11	Leopold.....	"	S. B.	10th	Joseph Lavole.....	Ella M. Rock.....	"	Stone-polisher.....	Oswego, N. Y.....	Ireland.
12	Robert.....	"	Living	1st	James M. Donovan.....	Nora Murphy.....	"	Fireman.....	Manchester.....	Scroon River,
13	Alph.....	"	S. B.	8th	Eugene I. Davis.....	Harriet St. George.....	"	Barber.....	Canada.....	Liberty, Me.
14	Harold Rogers.....	"	Living	3d	Onesime Dufresne.....	Georgiana.....	"	Teacher.....	Appleton, Me.....	Canada.
15	"	"	"	2d	Walter E. Gushue.....	Helen Hatch.....	"	Stone-cutter.....	Scotland.....	Ireland.
16	"	"	S. B.	"	Joseph Crevier.....	Orida Lemay.....	"	Laborer.....	England.....	Concord.
17	Mary Hazel.....	"	Living	3d	Alexander Dickie.....	Anna Ahorn.....	"	Loom fixer.....	Canada.....	Concord.
18	Joseph Alma.....	"	"	4th	John H. Harrison.....	Ida M. Kimball.....	"	Laborer.....	New Hampshire.....	Concord.
19	"	"	"	1st	Frank Cate.....	Mary Marcott.....	"	"	Boscawen.....	Concord.
20	"	"	"	3d	Fred S. Flanders.....	Dora Moody.....	"	"	Ireland.....	Ireland.
21	Kathleen Bridget.....	"	S. B.	3d	Albert W. Hobbs.....	Lucy H. Farnum.....	"	Farmer.....	Worcester, Vt.....	Vershire, Vt.
22	"	"	"	4th	John H. Fitzgerald.....	Hannah Hayes.....	"	Granite-cutter.....		
23	Arthur Eugene.....	"	Living	2d	Eugene G. Harris.....	Nellie Paine.....	"	Butcher.....		

BIRTHS.—SEPTEMBER.—Continued.

Date—1897.	Name of child (if any).	Sex and condition.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of par- ent.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
		Male	Female, or still- born, etc.							
24	Joseph Onesiphore	Male	Living	Frank E. Woods.	Ida Preston.	W.	Concord	Laborer.	West Concord.	Aburn, Me.
25	Joseph Stephen.	"	6th	Onesiphore Raymond	Acenia Murtel.	"	"	Stone-cutter.	Canada.	Concord.
26	Winifred Josephine	"	4th	Will D. Hutchinson.	Margaret Martin.	"	"	Motorman.	Concord.	Concord.
27	Charles Russell.	Female.	8d	John J. Welsh.	Mary A. Yeaton.	"	"	Clerk.	Chichester.	Epsom.
28	Oliver Burleigh.	"	2d	William G. Pratt.	Mary E. Hannahan	"	"	Derrick-man.	Concord.	Lawrence, Mass.
29	Carl Henry Julian.	"	1st	L. Eugene Goldsmith.	Abbie A. Cheney.	"	"	Carpenter.	Milwaukee, Wis.	Wilmet.
30		"	8d	William Hill.	Mary H. Green.	"	"	Butcher.	Fennecook.	Roscawen.
		"	1st	Alfred Anderson.	Pauline C. Seavey.	"	"	Janitor.	Scotland.	North Conway.
		"			Mary Fardemaceson	"	"	Granite-cutter.	Sweden.	Sweden.

OCTOBER.

Date—1897.	Name of child (if any).	Sex	Living, or still- born, etc.	Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of par- ent.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
1	Margaret Louise.	Female.	2d	John H. Hayes.	Margaret G. Long.	W.	"	Salesman.	Concord.	Orono, Me.
2	Otto Fretiof.	Male	2d	Otto Johnson.	Margaret Behraud.	"	"	Granite-cutter.	Sweden.	Sweden.
3	Delores.	"	4th	Wilfred Cote.	Josephine Gemry.	"	"	Barber.	Canada.	Canada.
4	Margaret.	"	8d	James Reen.	Mary Cahill.	"	"	Granite-cutter.	Ireland.	Ireland.
4	Frank Hoben.	"	8d	Frank C. Bloodgett.	Mary E. Hoben.	"	"	Stone-cutter.	Mason.	Concord.
4	Alpida.	"	8d	William Fournier.	Georgianna Pelefier.	"	"	Wool spinner.	Canada.	Canada.
4	Addison Nathan.	"	8d	Henry O. Martin.	Etta M. Cleveland.	"	"	Laborer.	Concord.	Yonkers, N. Y.
5	Leo Edwin.	"	1st	William Wilkey.	Blanche D. Kay.	"	"	Laborer.	Norwich, Vt.	Bethlehem.
6	Frances Emily.	"	8d	Franklin B. Goodrich.	Minnie M. Abbott.	"	"	Salesman.	Lynn, Mass.	Wareham, Mass.
7	Cecelia Belle.	"	1st	Henry M. Hoague.	Isabella M. Reid.	"	"	Baker.	Concord.	Scotland.
9	Robert Gordon.	"	2d	Albert P. Tuttle.	Isabella M. Reid.	"	"	Clerk.	St. John, N. B.	Concord.
9	William Earl.	"	1st	Fred J. Collins.	Ellen T. O'Brien.	"	"	Stone-cutter.	Scotland.	Scotland.
10	George Everett.	"	6th	William Carson.	Margaret Little.	"	"	Tran's despatcher.	East Andover.	Concord.
11	Charles Irving.	"	1st	Holland P. Davis.	Hattie M. Clark.	"	"	Clerk.	Corinth, Vt.	Washington, Vt.
12	Esau Waldo.	"	6th	John N. Kemp.	Winnie E. Sleeper.	"	"	Granite-pollisher.	Manchester.	Concord.
13		"	6th	Edwin Hearson.	Sarah E. Craigue.	"	"	Engineer.	England.	Hebron.
		"			Dorothy A.	"	"			

13	Caroline.....	"	"	2d	Fiesco P. Engal.....	Eva M. Kempton.....	"	"	Dyer.....	Gifford.....	Henniker.....
13	Ernest Leroy.....	"	"	1st	Harlan C. Pearson.....	Laura P. Metcalf.....	"	"	Editor.....	Webster.....	Littleton.....
16	Mary Agnes.....	"	"	1st	William H. Hsh.....	Mary L. Foote.....	"	"	Laborer.....	Hill.....	Salmon.....
16		"	"	2d	William H. Sexton.....	Catharine F. Dolan.....	"	"	Engineer.....	Concord.....	Concord.....
16		"	"	9th	Frank Whitcomb.....	Ida A. Gaunt.....	"	"	Laborer.....	Lakeport.....	Lakeport, Mass.,
17	Emma.....	"	"	1st	Charles E. Cross.....	Victoria Johnson.....	"	"	Mill operative.....	New Hampshire.....	Canada.....
17	Thomas Joseph.....	"	"	3d	David Ladue.....	Maude Durgin.....	"	"	Pulp maker.....	St. Johns, N. B.....	Canada.....
20	Mary Ellen.....	"	"	1st	James McGoff.....	Bridget Burke.....	"	"	Quarryman.....	Ireland.....	Concord.....
20	Glady.....	"	"	2d	Walter S. Dole.....	Hattie Lougee.....	"	"	Bookkeeper.....	Barrett, Vt.....	W. Edith.....
24	Marie Elizabeth.....	"	"	5th	Geo. W. Landon.....	Adeline Cormier.....	"	"	Laborer.....	N. B.....	N. B.....
25	Arthur Edwin.....	"	"	1st	Swan G. Anderson.....	Jennie Sylvia.....	"	"	Farmer.....	Sweden.....	Sweden.....
25	Oringe William.....	"	"	1st	Fred E. Taylor.....	Eunice L. Edmunds.....	"	"	Stone-cutter.....	Canada.....	England.....
25	George William, Jr.....	"	"	3d	George W. Shelfrey.....	Arvinie Conroy.....	"	"	Engineer.....	Concord.....	Concord.....
28	Ethel Gertrude.....	"	"	4th	William Noonan.....	Elizabeth J. Caldwell.....	"	"	Table maker.....	Concord.....	Concord.....
30	Rose Margaret.....	"	"	4th	Peter A. Keenan.....	Mary E. Nolan.....	"	"			

NOVEMBER.

2	Agnes Celia.....	Female.	S. B.	5th	W. Henry Dufresne.....	Angelina Wilcott.....	W. Concord.....	Carpenter.....	Canada.....	Vermont.....
3	Ernest Edwin.....	"	Living	3d	Frank A. Plankey.....	Emma Cloutier.....	"	Quarryman.....	New York City.....	Albany, N. Y.
8	Jos. Geo. Alphonse.....	Male	"	1st	Jesse G. Stevens.....	Sarah A. Aragan.....	"	Farmer.....	Concord.....	Canada.....
6	Catherine.....	"	"	11th	Victor Breton.....	Adeline Labrecque.....	"	Carpenter.....	Canada.....	Canada.....
10	Olive.....	"	"	4th	James Maloney.....	Ellen Dwyer.....	"	Laborer.....	Ireland.....	Ireland, Mass.
10	Anna Elise.....	"	"	1st	Geo. B. Davis.....	Olive E. Bass.....	"	Painter.....	Concord.....	Hooksett.....
11	Alice Josephine.....	"	"	4th	Joseph LeBlanc.....	Georgianna Herbert.....	"	Laborer.....	Sweden.....	Sweden.....
12	George Edward.....	"	"	6th	Hugo B. Lindgren.....	Clara Johnson.....	"	Carpenter.....	Dover, N. H.....	Stratham, N. H.
13		"	"	4th	John E. Lamprey.....	Mary G. Chapman.....	"	Blacksmith.....	Concord.....	Concord.....
15		"	"	4th	Lucien Lafontaine.....	Ellen H. Martin.....	"	Stone-mason.....	Canada.....	New York.....
15	Louise M.....	"	"	7th	William D. Stevens.....	Lillian Alice Paul.....	"	Laborer.....	East Concord.....	Sweden.....
15		"	"	1st	Carl Sunerson.....	Cora M. French.....	"	Farmer.....	Sweden.....	Sweden.....
17	Carl Ruber Reinhold.....	"	"	5th	Trefle Janson.....	Oiga Ruber.....	"	Iron moulder.....	Concord.....	Concord.....
18		"	"	1st	Wm. Alfred Edmunds.....	Rosanna Trudel.....	"	Boiler maker.....	Canada.....	Canada.....
19	Frank William M.....	"	"	8th	Henry Simard.....	Amy A. LaBonta.....	"	Carpenter.....	Canada.....	Canada.....
21	Mary Anna.....	"	"	21	Francis N. Abbott.....	Allice Toof.....	"	Brakeman.....	Concord.....	Concord.....
21	Joseph Arthur.....	"	"	4th	Venzanci Algiati.....	Blanche Dupont.....	"	Granite-cutter.....	Italy.....	France.....
21	Angelina.....	"	"	5th	Charles H. Morrison.....	Annie C. Corliss.....	"	Confectioner.....	Concord.....	Dunbarton.....
21		"	"	6th	George Tonkin.....	Nannie.....	"	Stone-cutter.....	England.....	England.....
22	Jessie Belle.....	"	"	10th	Archie S. Morgan.....	Ella M. Berry.....	"	Tramman, B. & M.....	Bow Mills, N. H.....	Burlville, R. I.
23	Fred Archiebald.....	"	"	1st	Harry H. Dudley.....	Anne Minot.....	"	Banker.....	Concord.....	Concord.....
27		"	"	3d			"			

NOVEMBER.—Continued.

Date—1897.	Name of the Child (if any).	Sex and condition.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of par- ents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
		Male	Female.							
27	.....	.....	Female.	W. B. Frank Kilburn	Winnie Nelson	W.	Concord	Meat cutter.	Concord	Canada.
28	.....	.....	"	Raymond M. Bean	Dousetta Stalbird	"	"	Machinist.	"	Whitfield.
29	Marie Jeanne.	.....	"	Emile St. Hilaire	Avine Faguy	"	"	Physician.	Canada	"
30	.....	Male	"	Daniel Boisvert	Marie Martin	"	"	Baker.	"	"

DECEMBER.

1	Geraldine Cather-	.....	Female.	Jeremiah J. Fitzgerald	Jane McCauley	W.	Concord	Baker.	Ireland.	Ireland
2	.....	.....	"	Eugene Callahan	Hannah Murphy	"	"	Granite-cutter.	Concord	Concord
3	.....	.....	"	Joseph R. Robinson	Fessie Tremouth	"	"	Silver-smith.	"	England.
4	Edith Caroline.	.....	"	Carl Ericson	Caroline Jacobson	"	"	Granite-cutter.	Sweden	Sweden
5	.....	.....	"	William B. Prescott	Eliza J. Elliott	"	"	Butcher.	Epsom	Concord.
6	Alma.	.....	"	William J. Ducey	Mary T. Elliott	"	"	Silver-smith.	Plymouth	Ireland.
7	William Francis.	.....	"	Zotaphne Laurion	Rosanna Lannurande	"	"	laborer.	Canada	Canada.
8	.....	.....	"	Francis R. Barnes	Louisa Tomlin	"	"	stone-cutter.	England	England.
9	Flora P.	.....	"	William T. Barker	Jane Argwin	"	"	Silver-smith.	Providence, R. I.	Haverhill.
10	.....	.....	"	Arthur P. Barker	Alma Barker	"	"	R. E. employe.	Concord	Canada
11	Damase Oliver Al-	.....	"	Wilfred Bourne	Victoria Lesale	"	"	Harness-maker.	Canada	Lowell, Mass.
12	.....	.....	"	Napoleon Reil	Rosa Joyal	"	"	[ag't	St. Albans, Vt.	Bridgford, Me.
13	.....	.....	"	Charles E. Beaul	K. M. Spang	"	"	Sewing-machine	Conway	Canada.
14	.....	.....	"	Gloucester Burke	Christa Boisvert	"	"	Farmes-maker	Canada	"
15	Joseph W.	.....	"	Fred St. John	Odelia Roy	"	"	Farmer.	Ireland	Ireland.
16	.....	.....	"	Daniel Shere	Mary Gouchian	"	"	Meat cutter.	Vermont.	Concord.
17	.....	.....	"	Charles Merrill	Edith B. Gilpatrick	"	"	laborer.	Chichester.	Concord.
18	Perley Earl.	.....	"	Chas. Merrill	Edith B. Gilpatrick	"	"	Elec. R. conductor	Rockland, Me.	Vinal Haven, Me.
19	.....	.....	"	Fred S. Pendleton	Nellie Allenwood	"	"	Overseer.	Boston, Mass.	Concord.
20	.....	.....	"	Joseph Martin	Idella A.	"	"			

Marriages Registered in the City of Concord, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1897.

J A N U A R Y.

Date—1897.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Age of bride.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
5	London...	John H. True.....	Concord	46	W.	Driver	London	Daniel True.	London .....	.....	2d	Rev. George T. Griffin, London.
		Charles E. Clough.....	Canterbury.....	35	"	Housekeeper.	Canterbury.....	Abigail D. (Jones).	Chichester .....	.....	1st	Rev. E. E. Barry, Concord.
13	Concord..	Herman J. Sanborn....	Concord	25	"	Silversmith....	Concord	Mary E. (Osgood).	London.....	Housekeeper	1st	Rev. E. E. Barry, Concord.
		Ellen L. Hunt.....	"	21	"	Milliner.....	"	John G. Sanborn.	Quincy, Mass. ....	.....	1st	Rev. E. E. Barry, Concord.
16	"	Hugh B. Lindgren....	"	28	"	Carpenter	Sweden	Annie A. (Jones).	Salisbury .....	.....	1st	Rev. E. E. Barry, Concord.
		Clara Johnson	"	19	"	Housework ..	"	Wm. L. Hunt.....	Sweden	Gardener.....	1st	Rev. E. E. Barry, Concord.
16	"	Charles Challman	"	32	"	Quarryman ..	"	Josephine (Isacson).	"	Blacksmith.....	1st	Rev. E. E. Barry, Concord.
		Hulda Peterson	"	22	"	Housework ..	"	John Challman.	" .....	.....	1st	Rev. E. E. Barry, Concord.
20	"	Wesley S. Johnson....	"	26	"	House painter	Vershire, Vt.	Ingrid (Anderson).	"	Farmer.....	1st	Rev. E. E. Barry, Concord.
		Mary M. Shine.....	"	26	"	Housework ..	Ireland	Peter Augustason.	Norwich, Vt.	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. E. E. Barry, Concord.
20	"	Rupert F. Walker.....	"	30	"	Metal finisher	Nova Scotia.....	Truman H. Johnson.	Thetford, Vt.	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. E. E. Barry, Concord.
		Laura T. Radford.....	"	20	"	Book binder..	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Merseline (Willmot).	Ireland	Shipwright.....	1st	Rev. E. E. Barry, Concord.
								Catherine (Reardon).	Nova Scotia.....	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. E. E. Barry, Concord.
								John H. Walker.	Eaton, N. Y.	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. E. E. Barry, Concord.
								C. M. Radford.....	Winchester	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. E. E. Barry, Concord.
								Mary A. (Murry)....	Winchester	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. E. E. Barry, Concord.

23	"	Edward M. Cogswell.	"	22	"	Laundryman.	Concord	F. E. Cogswell.	Henniker	Thsmith.	1st	Rev. H. P. Dewey,
		Minnie Perry.	"	20	"	Home	"	Elizabeth M. (Goss).	England	Housewife.	1st	Concord.
28	"	John McCauley.	"	30	"	Laborer	Canada	Bennett Perry.	Ireland	Stone-cutter.	1st	Rev. J. E. Barry,
		Catherine G. Cleary.	"	31	"	Housework	Concord	Mary (Phillips).	"	Housewife	1st	Concord.
28	"	Charles H. Elliott	"	31	"	Laborer	"	Elizabeth (Ryan).	Pembroke	Housewife.	2d	Rev. H. P. Dewey,
		Hattie Lear.	"	18	"	Home	"	Patrick Cleary.	Haverhill, Mass.	Housewife.	1st	Concord.
								Bridget Sexton.	Epson	Housewife.	1st	Concord.
								Samuel Elliott.				
								Lacy J. (Marble).				
								Franklin P. Lear.				
								Sadie ———.				

F E B R U A R Y .

8	Concord	Thomas M. Harrison.	Concord	30	W.	Granite deal'r	Ireland	Michael Harrison	Ireland		2d	Rev. J. E. Barry,
		Winnifred McDermott	"	22	"	Housework	"	Mary (Behan)	"	Farmer	1st	Concord.
8	"	Irvin E. Young.	"	25	"	Carpenter	Belmont	Patrick McDermott	"	Housewife	1st	Rev. Roger Sherman,
		Jennie May Earle	East Tilton	20	"	Home	East Tilton	Winnifred (Frain)	"	Housewife	1st	Concord.
10	"	Henry H. Seabury	Boston, Mass.	21	"	Bookkeeper	Parkman, Me.	Andrew J. Young.	"	Housewife	1st	Rev. H. P. Dewey,
		Bertha T. Williamson	"	24	"	"	Wellfleet, Mass.	Sarah C. (Sweet).	"	Housewife	1st	Concord.
11	"	Walter P. Brown.	Concord	21	"	Machinist.	Canaan	Nelson H. Earle.	"	Trav. salesman.	1st	Rev. H. P. Dewey,
		Bessie O. Knowlton	"	23	"	Home	Concord	Hattie (Dearborn).	"	Housewife	1st	Concord.
24	"	Eugene S. Daniell.	Franklin	33	"	Manufacturer	Franklin	Charles T. Parkman.	"	Housewife	1st	Rev. Frank L. Phalen,
		Alice L. Chandler.	Concord	20	"	Home	Canterbury	Martha J. (Harvey)	"	Housewife	1st	Concord.
17	Laconia	David McKerley	"	27	"	Electrician	"	Daniel Williamson	"	Housewife	1st	Rev. W. H. Getchell,
		Alice M. Foote.	Laconia	20	"	Home	Concord	Betsy (Rich).	"	Housewife	1st	Laconia.
								Charles Brown.	"	Housewife	1st	
								Mary (Barry)	"	Housewife	1st	
								Chas. T. B. Knowlton.	"	Housewife	1st	
								Eleanor J. Norris.	"	Housewife	1st	
								Warren F. Daniell	"	Housewife	1st	
								Abbie A. (Sanger)	"	Housewife	1st	
								John K. Chandler	"	Housewife	1st	
								Mary L. (Lawrence)	"	Housewife	1st	
								Robert McKerley	"	Housewife	1st	
								Bessie (McGregor)	"	Housewife	1st	
								Lewis Foote	"	Housewife	1st	
								Effie (Sherman)	"	Housewife	1st	

MARRIAGES.—MARCH.

Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
1 Concord	Eugene E. Phillips....	Concord	44	W.	Railroad.....	Worcester, Mass.	Geo. G. Phillips....	.....	.....	1st	Wm. H. Sawyer, J. P., Concord.
5 "	Helen E. Phillips....	St. Johnsbury, Vt. 40	40	"	Home	Lowell, Mass.	Caroline A. (Barnard) Newton (Croft) (Coville)....	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	.....	2d	Rev. Frank L. Phalen, Concord.
6 Ashland.....	John T. Hallaghan....	Concord	24	"	Mechanic.....	England.....	John Hallaghan....	Concord .....	.....	1st	Rev. John A. Bowler, Ashland.
6 Ashland.....	Alta M. Willey.....	"	25	"	Housework....	Concord	Elizabeth (McCoy) (Holds) E. Willey.....	Concord	Horse dealer.	2d	Rev. F. D. Ayer, Concord.
6 Ashland.....	Frank T. Young	"	42	"	Boiler-maker.	Loudon.....	Edith (Knights)....	Deerfield.....	.....	2d	Rev. F. D. Ayer, Ashland.
6 Concord	Mabel S. Lease.....	"	22	"	Home	Concord, Vt.....	David Young.....	London.....	.....	2d	Rev. F. D. Ayer, Concord.
6 Concord	Edward A. Stevens..	"	38	"	City messenger [Ger]	Concord	Frank E. Clark (Jr) Emily A.	Franklin.....	Merchant.	1st	Rev. F. D. Ayer, Concord.
7 Hopkinton....	Marla L. Wood.....	"	40	"	Nurse.....	Hancock.....	Prescott F. Stevens Harriett L. (Flanders) Moses Lakin.....	Wilton.....	Housewife.	1st	Rev. F. D. Ayer, Concord.
7 Hopkinton....	Joseph W. Abbott....	"	30	"	Farmer.....	Concord	Isaac N. Abbott....	Hancock.....	Farmer	1st	Rev. F. D. Ayer, Concord.
4 Concord	Martha O. Chase.....	Hopkinton....	26	"	Teacher.....	Hopkinton....	Martha (Smith)....	Concord	Housewife.	1st	Rev. Geo. H. Dunlap, Concord.
4 Concord	Frank A. Merrill....	Concord	39	"	Civil engineer	Concord	Harvey Chase.....	Hopkinton....	Lumber dealer	1st	Rev. Geo. H. Dunlap, Concord.
4 Concord	Grace K. Farnum....	"	23	"	Clerk.....	Concord	Arthur L. Merrill.... Elizabeth C. Kelley Andrew S. Farnum Rebecca K. (Rowell)	Freedom..... Plymouth..... Rumney..... Concord	Farmer	1st	Rev. Geo. H. Dunlap, Concord.

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3 Concord	John S. Hall.....	Concord	47	W.	Carpenter	Berwick, Me....	Alfred Hall.....	Barnstead	2d	Rev. Chas. L. Tappan, Concord.
3 Concord	Victoria M. Nudd....	"	30	"	Housework....	Sandwich.....	Mary R. (Otis).... Asabel (Wallace) Caroline L. (Tappan)	Sandwich.....	.....	2d	Rev. Chas. L. Tappan, Concord.

5	"	George T. Carr.....	Concord	26	"	Varnish-maker	Sandwich, Mass.	Charles T. Carr.....	Wareham, Mass.	Braasmoulder	1st	Frank G. Edgerly, J. P.,
		Goldie M. Healey.....	"	18	"	Milliner.....	Lowell, Mass.	Heien M. (Hincekley)	"	Housewife...	1st	Concord.
16	"	Fred A. Cochran.....	"	24	"	Farmer.....	Northfield, Vt.	Emma (Owen).....	Pembroke, Me.	Housewife...	1st	J. A. Cochran, J. P.,
		Josephine Hayes.....	"	16	"	Home.....	Hooksett.....	Wm. G. Cochran.....	Concord	Janitor.....	1st	Concord.
17	"	Wm. L. McDonald.....	Haverhill, Mass.	32	"	Shoe-cutter...	Haverhill, Mass.	Alice (Seales).....	Hooksett.....	Housewife...	1st	Concord.
		Eva J. Walker.....	Concord	27	"	Shoe-stitcher.	Antrim.....	Minnie (Rivers).....	Ireland.....	Gardener...	2d	Rev. Elihu Snow,
24	Manchester..	Charles A. Roper.....	"	27	"	R. R. fireman.	Windham.....	Patrick McDonald..	"	Farmer.....	1st	Concord.
		E. Louise Goulland..	"	27	"	Home.....	Boston, Mass.	Elizabeth (Connor).	Antrim.....	Housewife...	1st	Rev. Nathaniel Colby,
28	Westbrook, Me.	Arthur Turgeon.....	"	30	"	Book-keeper.	Canada.....	D. W. Roper.....	Princeton, Mass.	"	1st	Manchester.
		Olivine Rousseau....	Westbrook, Me.	18	"	Home.....	"	Geo. J. Goulland..	Sterling, Mass.	Merchant...	1st	Rev. Alexis D. DeCalles,
								Peter Turgeon.....	Boston, Mass.	Housewife...	1st	Westbrook, Me.
								Hermine (Bégin)...	"	Laborer.....	1st	
								Joseph Rousseau...	"	Housewife...	1st	
								Anastasia (Morin).	"	Housewife...	1st	

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9	Boscawen.....	Walter W. Willmot...	Concord	27	W.	Brakeman....	Lowell, Mass.	William W. Willmot..	Thetford.....	"	1st	Rev. Edw'd G. Spencer,
		Leonora G. Greeley..	Boscawen.....	28	"	Composer....	Webster.....	Frances A. (Usher).	Augusta, Me	"	1st	Boscawen.
12	Concord.....	Carl A. Anderson.....	Concord	28	"	Sta. engineer.	Sweden.....	Nath'l R. Greeley...	Boscawen.....	Optician...	1st	
		Mary C. Ferdinandson	"	27	"	Housework...	"	Emma S. (Call)....	Webster.....	Housewife...	1st	Rev. A. Carlson,
16	"	George H. Drew.....	"	22	"	Painter.....	Weare.....	A. S. Paterson.....	Sweden.....	"	1st	Concord.
		Mattie E. Prentiss...	"	18	"	Home.....	Concord	Olin (Larson).....	"	"	1st	Concord.
18	Skowhegan, Me.	Delbert C. Dorrothy..	"	23	"	Jeweller.....	Skowhegan, Me.	Swen Ferdinandson	Pembroke...	Stone-cutter.	1st	Rev. John G. Hook,
		Lenora B. Estes.....	Skowhegan, Me.	21	"	Home.....	"	Annie M. (Anderson)	Wears.....	Farmer.....	1st	Concord.
20	Concord.....	James Quinn.....	Concord	52	"	Blacksmith...	Ireland	Emma (Tonne).....	Concord.....	Housewife...	1st	Rev. B. C. Wentworth,
		Elizabeth Duffy.....	"	40	"	Housework...	"	John Prentiss....	Concord.....	Contractor.	1st	Skowhegan, Me.
								Laella (Frost).....	Skowhegan, Me	Housewife...	2d	Rev. J. E. Barry,
								Isaac C. Dorrothy..	"	Housewife...	1st	Concord.
								Sarah J. (Dearborn)	"	Housewife...	1st	
								Frank J. Estes.....	Palmyra.....	Housewife...	1st	
								Rose E. (Parkhurst)	Ireland.....	Housewife...	2d	
								James Quinn.....	"	Housewife...	1st	
								Margaret (Bailey)..	"	Housewife...	1st	
								James Duffy.....	"	Housewife...	1st	

MARRIAGES - MAY. - Continued.

Date—1897.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
22	Concord..	Alfred Haglund	Concord	33	W.	Contractor	Sweden	Andrew Alson	Sweden	Farmer	1st	Rev. A. Carlson,
		Johanna C. Johnson..	"	34	"	Housework	"	Marta	"	Housewife	1st	Concord.
24	"	David Cadret.....	"	31	"	Laborer	Swanton, Vt..	Britta	Canada	Farmer	1st	Rev. J. N. Plante,
		Victoria Russell.....	"	18	"	Home	"	Mary (Larow)	"	Housewife	1st	Concord.
28	"	Daniel B. Dow.....	"	29	"	Express.....	Gilmanton....	Mamie Russell.....	"	Laborer	1st	Concord.
		Flora I. Smith.....	"	24	"	Housework	"	Charles Dow	Gilmanton	Farmer	1st	James H. Morris, J. P.,
29	"	Frank G. Peterson....	"	27	"	Stone-cutter..	Sweden	Hannah (Buzzell)	"	Housewife	2d	Concord.
		Lotten M. Engstrom .	Manchester....	9	"	Housework	"	Fannie (Wade)	Sweden	Carpenter	2d	Rev. D. W. Clarke,
31	"	Oasis Trembly.....	Concord	26	"	Laborer	Canada.....	A. P. Eled	"	Farmer	1st	West Concord.
		Eva De Montigny....	"	26	"	Laundress....	"	Carl G. Engstrom	"	Housewife	2d	Rev. J. N. Plante,
								Matilda M. (Anderson)	Canada	Farmer	1st	Concord.
								Isaiah Trembly	"	Housewife	1st	
								Louise	"	Farmer	2d	
								Angel (Tatro)	"	Housewife	1st	

JUNE.

1	Concord..	Joseph T. Byrne.....	Concord	26	W.	Machinist	Canada	Daniel Byrne	Ireland.....	Customs officer.	1st	Rev. J. E. Barry,
		Alice Casey.....	"	20	"	Stenographer	Concord	Jane (Bonner)	"	"	1st	Concord.
2	"	John E. Berry	"	20	"	Laborer	Warwick, R. I.	Margaret	Ireland.....	Carpenter	1st	Rev. Ellhu Snow,
		Lena M. Lake.....	Loudon	20	"	Home	Canterbury...	Chas. E. Berry	Concord, Me..	Housewife	1st	Concord.
								Mary E. (Harris)	Loudon	"	1st	
								William Avery	Canterbury...	"	1st	
								Lacy (Lake)	"	"	1st	

2	"	Moses T. Evans.....	Concord.....	26	"	Clerk.....	Holderness.....	Caleb Evans.....	Holderness.....	Farmer.....	1st	Rev. J. H. Robbins,
		Ada B. Avery.....	Ellsworth.....	21	"	Home.....	Ellsworth.....	Isabell (Taylor).....	Dover.....	Housewife	1st	Concord.
2	"	Nathaniel Chase.....	Concord.....	53	"	Laborer.....	Winchendon, Mass.	John Avery.....	"	Farmer.....		
		Nancy J. Flanders.....	"	54	"	Housework.....	Northfield.....	Trueworthy Chase.....	Sunapee.....	Shoemaker.....	2d	Rev. Roger Sherman,
3	"	Wm. J. W. McFarland.....	"	21	"	Baker.....	Portland, Me.	Mary E. (Page).....	Northfield.....		3d	Concord.
		Mary A. Matheson.....	"	20	"	Home.....	Concord.....	Huse Austin.....	Nova Scotia.....	Cook.....	1st	Rev. Elihu Snow,
9	"	John L. Randolph.....	"	24	"	Machinist.....	Boston, Mass.	James McFarland.....	St. Johns, N. F.	Housewife	1st	Concord.
		Rose M. Jordan.....	"	26	"	Laundress.....	Concord.....	John Matheson.....	Scotland.....	Quarryman.....	1st	
9	"	Walter T. Emerson.....	"	22	"	Clerk.....	Canaan.....	Elizabeth (Kellom).....	Hillsboro.....	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. J. E. Barry,
		Irene Shannon.....	"	22	"	Home.....	Lynn, Mass.	Frank Ryder.....	Boston, Mass.	Moulder.....	1st	Concord.
12	Laconia.	Henry Bombard.....	"	26	"	Coachman.....	Burlington, Vt.	Ruphehl S. (Dunn).....	Maine.....	Housewife	1st	
		Rose Dominy.....	"	22	"	Housework.....	New York State	Margaret (Ducy).....	Ireland.....	Mechanic.....	1st	Rev. Cephas B. Crane,
14	Concord	John W. White.....	"	26	"	Attendant at Asylum.....	Canaan.....	Edwin I. Emerson.....	"	Janitor.....	1st	Cambridge, Mass.
		Sarah E. Thompson.....	"	23	"	Nurse.....	Foxcroft, Me.	Fannie S. Tyler.....	Canada.....	Farmer.....	1st	Rev. Lucius Waterman,
15	"	Henri Prevost.....	"	25	"	Machinist.....	Worcester, Mass.	Alex Bombard.....	Canada.....	Housewife	1st	Laconia.
		Radegonde Planchet.....	"	24	"	Home.....	France.....	Louise (Paraso).....	Canada.....	Farmer.....	1st	Rev. John Vannevar,
16	Boscawen.	George M. Beede.....	"	21	"	Laborer.....	Boscawen.....	Vetal Dominy.....	Canada.....	Farmer.....	1st	Concord.
		Ina E. McDaniels.....	Northfield.....	18	"	Home.....	Concord.....	Thomas White.....	Canada.....	Housewife	1st	
16	Concord	George A. Peterson.....	Somerville, Mass.	30	"	Machinist.....	Malden, Mass.	Mary (Pettingill).....	Canada.....	Housewife	1st	Rev. John Vannevar,
		Estelle C. Sleeper.....	Concord.....	20	"	Nurse.....	Corinth, Vt.	William Thompson.....	Canada.....	Housewife	1st	Concord.
16	"	Irving T. Chesley.....	"	30	"	Farmer.....	Concord.....	John Prevost.....	Canada.....	Shoemaker.....	1st	Rev. J. N. Plante,
		Edith S. Blanchard.....	"	22	"	Home.....	"	August Planchet.....	France.....	Laborer.....	1st	Concord.
								Justine (Challet).....	"	Farmer.....	1st	Rev. Edward G. Spencer,
								George H. Beede.....	Boscawen.....	Housekeeper.....	1st	Boscawen.
								Henry E. McDaniels.....	Tilton.....		1st	Rev. H. P. Dewey,
								Chas. A. Peterson.....	Boston, Mass.		1st	Concord.
								Eleanor B. (Allen).....	Georgetown, Mass.		1st	Concord.
								George M. Sleeper.....	Washington, Vt.		1st	Concord.
								Etta (Wilson).....	Corinth, Vt.		1st	Concord.
								Geo. W. Chesley.....	Barnstead.....		1st	Concord.
								Mary S. (Lane).....	Pittsfield.....		1st	Concord.
								Luther B. Blanchard.....	N. Troy Vt. (N. Y.)		1st	Concord.
								Marian (Norton).....	Lawrenceville,		1st	Concord.

MARRIAGES.—JUNE.—Continued.

Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
7 Concord	Eric G. Ericson.....	Concord	32	W.	Quarryman...	Sweden.....	Eric Person..... Lotta (Hanson).....	Sweden.....	Quarryman.....	1st	Rev. A. Rohnstrom,
"	Annie M. Johnson...	"	19	"	Housework...	"	John Johnson..... Johanna M. (Johnson).....	"	Housewife.....	1st	Concord.
21 "	Frank E. Fletcher...	"	21	"	R. R. fireman...	Woodstock, Vt.	Frank O. Fletcher..... Laura E. (Strong).....	Pittsburg, Mass.	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. Ellhu Snow,
22 "	Ardela L. Twombly.	"	18	"	Housework...	Pittsfield.....	Elbridge Twombly..... Emeline (Marsh).....	Barnstead	Housewife.....	1st	Concord.
"	Thomas D. Gannon...	"	27	"	Machinist.....	Concord	Darby Gannon..... Bridget (Dolan).....	Ireland	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. T. E. Reilly,
23 Exeter	Katharine H. McCabe	"	21	"	Housework...	Frankfort, Me.	John J. McCabe..... Margaret (Haley).....	Frankfort, Me.	Granite-cutter.....	1st	Concord.
"	Frank J. Sanborn.....	"	45	"	Steward State Prison.	Webster	Jesse D. Sanborn..... Arvilla (Batchelder).....	Boscawen	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. A. E. Woodsum,
26 Concord	Fannie J. Sanborn...	Exeter	33	"	Home	Exeter	Daniel Sanborn..... Martha A. (Hilton).....	Epping	Merchant.....	1st	Exeter.
"	William A. Edmonds.	Concord	22	"	Teamster.....	Chichester.....	Wm. A. Edmonds..... Caroline M. (Hanson).....	Chichester	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. Ellhu Snow,
"	Amy A. Labonta.....	"	17	"	Home	Concord	Francis Labonta..... Emma Cheever.....	Salem, Mass. Princeton, Mass.	Housewife.....	1st	Concord.

JULY.

1 Concord	Samuel Lundquist....	Concord	24	W.	Grocer	Sweden.....	John Lundquist..... Johanna (Kil).....	Sweden.....	Teacher	1st	Rev. A. Rohnstrom,
"	Emma Soderberg.....	"	25	"	Housework...	"	Carl Soderberg..... Gustava (Magnuson).....	"	Blacksmith.....	1st	Concord.
3 "	Russell Brandon	Catakill, N. Y.	21	"	Actor	Catakill, N. Y.	George Brandon..... Fannie Benton.....	Claremont, N. Y. Catakill, N. Y.	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. J. H. Robbins,
"	Maude Johnson.....	Concord	19	"	Home	Concord	Joseph Johnson..... Mary .....	.....	Housewife.....	1st	Concord.

4	"	James T. Jolley.....	Boston, Mass.....	21	W. Printer.....	Boston, Mass.....	James Jolley.....	England.....	Painter.....	1st	Rev. Daniel C. Roberts, Concord.
5	"	Emma E. Park.....	Concord.....	21	" Home.....	England.....	Mary.....	Scotland.....	Bookbinder.....	1st	Rev. John H. Emerson, Concord.
10	"	Charles J. Moulton.....	".....	30	" Silversmith.....	Concord.....	Emma.....	England.....	Carpenter.....	2d	Rev. F. D. Ayer, Concord.
14	"	E. Linnie Lang.....	".....	22	" Home.....	".....	Emeline A. (Wood).....	Epsom.....	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. F. D. Ayer, Concord.
14	"	Claes W. Johnson.....	".....	43	" Blacksmith.....	Sweden.....	Folsom C. Lang.....	Stratford.....	Soldier.....	1st	Rev. H. P. Dewey, Concord.
14	"	Matilda Gustafson.....	".....	30	" Housework.....	".....	Nellie O. Eaton.....	Sweden.....	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. H. P. Dewey, Concord.
14	"	Richard H. Ingalls.....	".....	22	" Laborer.....	Canada.....	John Sklon.....	".....	Brakeman.....	1st	Rev. Cephas B. Crane, Cambridge, Mass.
14	"	Laura S. Mayo.....	".....	16	" Housework.....	Windsor, Vt.....	Anna M. (Anderson).....	Albany, Vt.....	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. F. D. Ayer, Concord.
14	"	Arthur H. Greeley.....	".....	23	" Sec. Y.M.C.A.....	Wilmot.....	Gustaf Nelson.....	Canada.....	Merchant.....	1st	Rev. F. D. Ayer, Concord.
14	"	Mabel L. Holmes.....	".....	19	" Home.....	Boston, Mass.....	Manley Ingalls.....	Hartford, Vt.....	Comer'l trav. Housewife.....	1st	Rev. F. D. Ayer, Concord.
17	Nashua.....	John P. Wallace.....	".....	28	" Brakeman.....	So. Boston, Mass.....	Wm. H. Mayo.....	Corlath, Vt.....	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. W. D. Mackinnon, Nashua.
17	Manchester.	Mary B. Seavey.....	Warner.....	23	" Teacher.....	Warner.....	Minnie S. (Strong).....	Ireland.....	Section hand.....	1st	Jesse B. Pettee, J. P., Manchester.
21	Concord.....	Joseph C. Silver, Jr.....	Concord.....	20	" Section hand.....	Littleton.....	John H. Greeley.....	Warner.....	Farmer.....	1st	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.
24	"	Lizzie A. Hill.....	Londonderry.....	17	" Home.....	Londonderry.....	Annie M. (Burnham).....	Canada.....	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. Geo. W. Farmer, Penacook.
24	"	Alphonse Deslong- champ.	Manchester.....	33	" Mill operative.....	Canada.....	Frank D. Holmes.....	Scotland.....	Farmer.....	1st	Rev. Geo. W. Farmer, Penacook.
24	"	Sarah Mallan.....	".....	25	" Weaver.....	Scotland.....	Mary J. Glidden.....	Ireland.....	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. Geo. W. Farmer, Penacook.
24	"	Thomas Roark.....	Concord.....	40	" Stone-mason.....	Bakersfield, Vt.....	Patrick Wallace.....	Canada.....	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. Geo. W. Farmer, Penacook.
24	"	Nancy Douglass.....	".....	38	" Home.....	Canada.....	Elizabeth (King).....	Canada.....	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. Geo. W. Farmer, Penacook.
24	"	George A. Cochran.....	".....	26	" Farmer.....	Concord.....	Harriet E. (Bean).....	Canada.....	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. Geo. W. Farmer, Penacook.
24	"	Zayar Rivers.....	".....	25	" Housekeeper.....	Manchester.....	Joseph C. Silver.....	Scotland.....	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. Geo. W. Farmer, Penacook.
24	"	Walter J. Perrin.....	".....	21	" Farmer.....	Concord.....	Catharine (Mahan).....	Ireland.....	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. Geo. W. Farmer, Penacook.
24	"	Mary T. Ryan.....	".....	22	" Weaver.....	Pittsfield, Me.....	Daniel C. Hill.....	Canada.....	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. Geo. W. Farmer, Penacook.

MARRIAGES.—AUGUST.

Date—1897.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
3	Cambridge, Mass.	Wendell P. Ladd.....	Concord.....	44	W.	Col. of taxes.	Meredith.....	Newell C. Ladd.....	London.....	.....	1st	Rev. Cephas B. Crane,
		Anna M. Roberts.....	".....	40	"	Teacher.....	Hartford, Conn..	Sarah (Smith).....	Centre Harbor.....	.....	1st	Cambridge, Mass.
8	Penacook.	Harry M. Cotes.....	".....	19	"	Mechanic.....	Jonesboro, Me....	Louisa A. (Andrews).....	Amherst, Mass..	Sea captain.....	1st	Rev. George W. Farmer,
		Melvina Lacey.....	".....	18	"	Mill-hand.....	Canada.....	Mira J. (Tibbetts).....	".....	Teamster.....	1st	Penacook.
9	Concord..	Herbert A. Mullin....	".....	39	"	Janitor.....	Auburn.....	Frank Lacey.....	".....	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. John Vannevar,
		Clara A. Weston.....	".....	30	"	Laundress.....	Pittsfield.....	Della (Allard).....	Wilton, Me.....	Painter.....	2d	Concord.
9	"	George C. Robinson..	".....	20	"	Laborer.....	Concord.....	Amanda A. (Hill).....	Pittsfield.....	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. John G. Hook,
		Lilla A. Noble.....	".....	21	"	Home.....	Haverhill.....	Ellen E. (Gibson).....	Barre, Vt.....	Hackman.....	1st	Concord.
15	Weare....	Charles S. Merrill....	".....	26	"	Laborer.....	Chichester.....	Amanda E. (Smith).....	".....	Housewife.....	1st	Rev. W. S. Randall,
		Edith J. Gilpatrick..	".....	16	"	Home.....	London.....	Rachel (Polk).....	Chichester.....	Housewife.....	1st	Weare.
18	Concord..	Martin Hayes.....	Minneapolis, Minn.	35	"	Clerk.....	Minneapolis.....	James O. Merrill.....	Ireland.....	Blacksmith.....	1st	Rev. J. E. Barry,
		Mary E. Jordan.....	Concord.....	31	"	Teacher.....	Concord.....	Roland Gilpatrick.....	".....	Housewife.....	1st	Concord.
21	"	William H. West.....	".....	47	"	Expressman.....	Chichester.....	Martin Hayes.....	Augusta, Me....	Farmer.....	2d	Rev. F. D. Ayer,
		Carrie A. Sinclair....	".....	38	"	Home.....	Concord.....	Elizabeth (Moran).....	".....	Bookkeeper.....	2d	Concord.
25	Concord..	Albert W. Holden....	".....	29	"	Contractor.....	Gaysville, Vt....	Mary A. (Baker).....	Dracut, Mass....	Weaver.....	1st	Rev. D. C. Easton,
		Hanna Eldings.....	".....	24	"	Teacher.....	Concord.....	Wyman W. Holden.....	Milton.....	Bookkeeper.....	1st	Laconia.
								Harriet A. (Rowe).....	England.....	Weaver.....	1st	
								Robert Eldings.....				
								Sarah Crossley.....				

6	Concord	Frederick R. Roberts	Concord	29	W.	Draughtsman	Providence, R. I.	Fred'k R. Roberts. Annie M. (Russell). Charles P. Clough. Alice E. (Towle).	England. Concord	Silversmith. Housewife.	1st	Rev. Roland D. Grant, Concord.
7	"	Ellis Clough	"	19	"	Home	Concord	Lucian B. Sargent. Emma E. (Bowen). William Walters. Charlote (Collins).	Alexandria. Groton. England	Housewife. Carpenter. Housewife. Quarryman.	1st	Rev. Dan'l C. Roberts, Concord.
8	"	Harry O. Sargent	"	21	"	R. R. brake- man	Groton	Leonard A. Peckham Lizzie C. (Baker)	Templeton, Mass.	Housewife.	1st	Rev. J. E. Barry, Concord.
9	"	Elizabeth A. Waters.	"	22	"	Laundress	Concord	John Callahan Mary (Welsh).	Ireland	Housewife.	1st	Rev. F. D. Chandler, Chichester.
10	"	Warren L. Peckham.	"	24	"	Silversmith	Templeton, Mass.	Allen R. Hood. Ellen (Keyes). Chester Hauver. Ida (Douglass).	Dublin. Amherst Canada.	Hotel-keeper. Housewife. Mechanic.	1st	Rev. Thomas J. Drumm, Concord.
11	"	Ella J. Callahan	"	22	"	Homc	Cookville, Vt.	Freeman White. Josephine (Bandli).	Manchester.	Farmer.	1st	Rev. E. D. Hurley, Penacook.
12	"	Allen K. Hood	"	24	"	Plumber	Brookline.	Charles E. Berry. Mary E. (Harris).	Concord, Me. Houlton, Me.	Carpenter. Housewife.	1st	Rev. E. D. Hurley, Penacook.
13	"	Ella M. Hauver	"	20	"	Home	Canada.	Charles N. Morgan. Helen P. Mitchell.	Bow.	Railroading. Housewife.	1st	Rev. F. D. Hurley, Penacook.
14	"	Everett D. White	"	21	"	Laborer.	"	Mitchell Fournier. Salina (Greenwood).	Canada.	Shoemaker.	1st	Rev. F. D. Hurley, Penacook.
15	"	Mary A. Gonzolo	"	22	"	Housework	Woburn, Mass.	Moses (Noe). Aurelia.	Ireland	Brickmaker. Housewife.	1st	Rev. J. E. Barry, Concord.
16	"	Harry C. Berry	"	23	"	Plumber	Bangor, Me.	Edward Welch. Bridget (Flavin).	Canada	Blacksmith.	1st	Rev. J. E. Barry, Concord.
17	"	Cora M. Morgan	Bow	19	"	Home	Bow	Bridget (McCarthy). James Allard.	Ireland	Laborer.	1st	Rev. J. E. Barry, Concord.
18	Penacook.	Joseph Fournier	Concord	18	"	Mill-hand.	Canada.	Jane (Smith).	"	Housewife.	1st	Rev. J. E. Barry, Concord.
19	Concord.	Julia A. Noe	"	22	"	Home	Hooksett.	Richard Kersey. Bridget (Maloy).	Scotland. Ireland.	Housewife.	1st	Rev. Daniel C. Easton, Laconia.
20	Concord.	Edward J. Welch	"	25	"	Tinsmith	Concord	John F. Flynn. Elsie (Barbier).	France.	Retired.	1st	Rev. Daniel C. Easton, Laconia.
21	"	Winnifred A. Aldrich	"	22	"	Housework	"	Moran Drew. Roxanna (Dimick).	Concord	Housewife.	1st	Rev. Daniel C. Easton, Laconia.
22	"	Michael Allard	"	30	"	Painter.	Ireland.					
23	"	Kathleen Kersey	"	26	"	Nurse.	Holyoke, Mass.					
24	"	J. Fred Flynn, Jr.	Boston, Mass.	33	"	Mercantile agency	New Orleans, La.					
25	"	M. Ella Clement	"	42	"	Home.	Concord					

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Date—1897.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Name of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
18	Concord	Wm. A. Woodworth.	Concord	24	W.	Teamster	Nova Scotia	Judson Woodworth Elate (Frank)	Nova Scotia	Book-keeper	1st	Rev. H. P. Dewey, Concord.
	"	Hattie E. Whitcomb.	"	20	"	Home	"	Frank Whitcomb.	Warner, Mass.	Housewife	1st	Rev. Ellhu Snow, Concord.
18	"	Francis D. Williams.	"	38	"	Metal-worker	Peru, Ind.	Ida	Ohio	Housewife	1st	Rev. John Vannevar, Concord.
	"	Annie Lamb.	Boston, Mass.	37	"	Manifold- [books]	New Brunswick	Jeremiah Williams. Lucy A. (Casidy)	Newrey, Penn.	Farmer	1st	Rev. John Vannevar, Concord.
18	"	Nelson Cate.	London	49	"	Laborer	Canada	Elizabeth (Horden)	Canada	Housewife	1st	Rev. John Vannevar, Concord.
	"	Mary Lucia.	Concord	48	"	Housework	"	Cordella (Dural)	"	Housewife	1st	Rev. John Vannevar, Concord.
22	"	Arthur G. Gilkerson.	"	24	"	Drug-clerk	Stannard, Vt.	Joseph Welch. Jenivere	Barnet, Vt.	Farmer	1st	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.
	"	Sadie A. Littlefield.	"	21	"	Dressmaker	Pittsfield	D. H. Gilkerson. Luella (Stevens)	Ossipee	Housewife	1st	Rev. John Vannevar, Concord.
22	Penacook	Adolph H. Rietzel.	Taunton, Mass.	23	"	Machinist	Hudson, N. Y.	Henry Littlefield. Luella (Kelley)	Pittsfield	Machinist	1st	Rev. John Vannevar, Concord.
	"	Blanche L. Emery.	Concord	24	"	Nurse	Concord	Frederick Rietzel. Julia (Sandpaugh)	Germany	Housewife	1st	Rev. John Vannevar, Concord.
27	Concord	Jeremiah J. Donovan.	"	40	"	R. R. Con- [ductor]	"	Assa Emery. Hattie (Currier)	Hudson, N. Y.	Housewife	1st	Rev. John Vannevar, Concord.
	"	Millie L. Patterson.	"	38	"	Home	Boston, Mass.	Partick Donovan. Mary (Crowley)	Unity	Housewife	1st	Rev. John Vannevar, Concord.
28	"	Frank Rushlow.	"	24	"	Silver-worker	Concord	Samuel T. Hope. Jane (Hunter)	England	Housewife	1st	Rev. John Vannevar, Concord.
	"	Catherine Melanson.	"	18	"	Housework	New Brunswick	Louis Rushlow. Matilda (Ruskey)	Canada	Housewife	1st	Rev. John Vannevar, Concord.
29	"	Charles M. Ferrin.	"	27	"	Machinist	Concord	Joseph Melanson. Susan (Landry)	New Brunswick	Housekeeper	1st	Rev. John Vannevar, Concord.
	"	Lillian S. Heath.	"	24	"	Home	Newport	Henry L. Ferrin. Louise (Blake)	Concord	Housewife	1st	Rev. John Vannevar, Concord.
	"		"		"			Truman L. Heath. Frances L. (Runnals)	Chichester	Housewife	1st	Rev. John Vannevar, Concord.

OCTOBER.

2	Concord	James M. Duell.....	Concord	39	W.	Night watch- man	Chester, N. Y.	Myron A. Duell.....	Newbury.....	Carpenter.....	Rev. J. H. Robbins,
		Florence B. Lang.....	"	21	"	Housework...	Concord	Elizabeth C. Collins.....	Hopkinton.....	Housewife.....	Concord.
7	"	George W. Bartlett..	Allston, Mass...	44	"	Paper-manu- facturer	Boston, Mass...	George K. Lang.....	Hopkinton.....	Merchant.....	Rev. H. P. Dewey,
		Louise T. Clement...	Concord	24	"	Home.....	Warren.....	Eliza P. (Story).....	Epsom.....	Housewife.....	Concord.
13	"	Edward W. Carter...	"	18	"	Machinist.....	Concord	John D. Bartlett.....	Leominster, Mass	Farmer.....	Rev. Albert C. Hurd,
		Florence E. Hardy...	Boscawen	19	"	Home.....	Boscawen	Daniel Q. Clement...	Hebron.....	Housewife.....	Boscawen.
14	"	Amos L. Colburn...	Concord	65	"	Wood-dealer.	Dracut, Mass..	Grace (Woodworth)	Hopkinton.....	Silversmith.....	Rev. J. H. Robbins,
16	"	Lydia H. Caldwell...	"	55	"	Housekeeper	New Brunswick	Henry Carter.....	England.....	Housewife.....	Concord.
		Gustaf A. Trolley....	"	28	"	Stone-cutter.	Sweden.....	Jennie (Clark).....	Hopkinton.....	Housewife.....	Rev. D. W. Clark,
18	"	Annette Anderson...	"	30	"	Waitress.....	"	Charles W. Hardy...	Webster.....	Laborer.....	West Concord.
		Arthur L. Clark.	So. Berwick, Me	26	"	Broker.....	So. Berwick, Me	Charles W. Hardy...	Dracut, Mass..	Housewife.....	Rev. H. P. Dewey,
19	"	Mary E. Hill.....	Concord	19	"	Home.....	Concord	John H. Clark.....	Lebanon, Me.....	Housewife.....	Concord.
		John H. Callahan....	"	29	"	Horse-shoer.	Ireland.....	Lucy E. (Gould).....	Kennebunk, Me.	Farmer.....	Rev. J. E. Barry,
20	"	Mary E. Morrill.....	"	20	"	Home.....	Concord	Patrick Callahan....	London.....	Housewife.....	Concord.
		Cornelius McCormick	"	29	"	Wood-worker	Ireland.....	Catherine (Murphy)	Ireland.....	Housewife.....	Rev. J. E. Barry,
20	"	Johanna Higgins....	"	22	"	Home.....	Concord	Obedell Morrill.....	Concord.....	Housewife.....	Concord.
20	"	John H. Mayo.....	"	20	"	Barber.....	"	Annie (Smith).....	Ireland.....	Housewife.....	Rev. J. E. Barry,
		Mary Pratt.....	"	17	"	Dressmaker ..	Canada.....	Cornelius McCor-	Concord.....	Housewife.....	Concord.
21	Boscawen	Harry F. Jones.....	"	26	"	Laborer.....	Boscawen.	Mary (Liddy) (mick	Ireland.....	Housewife.....	Rev. J. E. Barry,
		Laura E. Peters.....	Danbury.....	21	"	Home.....	Danbury.....	Daniel Higgins.....	"	Housewife.....	Concord.
								Frank Mayo.....	"	Laborer.....	Concord.
								Amanda M. D. (Be-	ChAMPLIN, N. Y.	Harness-maker	Rev. J. N. Plante,
								Joseph Pratt (nolt)	Canada.....	Housewife.....	Concord.
								Fellicite (Godfre)	"	Boiler-maker...	Concord.
								David E. Jones.....	"	Housewife.....	Concord.
								Anna (Emerson)....	Webster.....	Laborer.....	Rev. A. C. Hurd,
								John Peters.....	Wilmington	Home.....	Boscawen.
								Mary (Page).....	Danbury.....	Housewife.....	Boscawen.

O C T O B E R. — Continued.

Date—1897.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupat'on of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Name of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
22	Concord..	William Williamson..	Concord	65	W.	Blacksmith ..	Ireland	William Williamson..	Ireland.....	.....	2d	Rev. John H. Emerson,
		Edith Caswell.....	"	45	"	Nurse	Parnstead	Malinda (Williamson)..	Boston, Mass.....	.....	1st	Concord.
23	Nashua...	Melvin P. Douglass...	Woodstock, Vt. 39	39	"	Laborer	Lancaster.....	Ann (Clark)	Barnstead.....	.....	2d	Rev. R. A. Beard,
		Martha Clough.....	"	27	"	Home	Royalton, Vt.....	John Douglass.....	Northumberland.....	.....	2d	Nashua.
25	Concord ..	Fred Mayo.....	Concord	20	"	Laborer	Ellenberg, N. Y..	Cynthia A. (Douglass)	Jay, N. Y.....	Farmer	1st	Rev. D. F. Hurley,
		Phebe Brodeur.....	"	20	"	Home	Concord	Clarinda (Cull)	Champlain, N. Y..	Laborer	1st	Penacook.
27	"	James C. Smith.....	"	32	"	Blacksmith ..	Nova Scotia.....	Edward Mayo.....	"	Housewife	1st	Rev. J. E. Barry,
		Catharine Doherty...	"	20	"	Housework...	Ireland	Halvour Brodeur.....	"	Housewife	1st	Concord.
27	"	George A. Hilton.....	Bangor, Me.....	61	"	Tanner	Raymond	Salme	Nova Scotia.....	Farmer	1st	Rev. J. H. Robbins,
		Rebecca Chapman...	"	52	"	Housework...	Nashua.....	Joseph Smith.....	"	Housewife	1st	Concord.
27	"	Robert T. Robinson...	Lawrence, Ms. 23	23	"	Book-keeper...	Lawrence, Mass..	Mary (Doyle)	Ireland.....	Housewife	1st	Rev. H. P. Dewey,
		Agnes E. Dunlap.....	Concord	24	"	Home	Canada	Margaret (Billey) ..	"	Real estate.....	1st	Concord.
27	Chelsea, Mass.	Lucien H. Bean.....	"	29	"	Mechanic.....	Auburn	Daniel Dunlap.....	Raymond	Housewife	1st	Rev. Edwin Hitchcock,
		Carrie L. Smart.....	"	24	"	Dressmaker...	Concord	Mary A. (Thompson)..	"	Shoemaker.....	1st	Chelsea, Mass.
								David H. Bean.....	England	Farmer	1st	
								Eveline A. (Brown)	"	Housewife	1st	
								Horace Smart.....	Concord	Housewife	1st	
								Sarah A. (Tuck).....	England	Housewife	1st	

NOVEMBER.

10	Concord	Patrick McLaughlin...	W.	26	Concord	Ireland	John McLaughlin...	Ireland	Farmer.	1st	Rev. J. E. Barry,
		Mary McKenney	"	25	"	"	Margaret (Laferty)	"	Housewife.	1st	Concord.
10	Dubuque,	Allen Hollis	Housework	25	"	Concord	Jamies McKenney	Milton, Mass.	Farmer.	1st	Rev. F. d'k E. Hopking,
	[1a.	Amoret Nicholson	Lawyer.	25	"	Concord	Abijah Hollis	Chester.	Housewife.	1st	Dubuque, Ia.
14	Concord	Gilbert J. A. Fraser	Home	24	Dubuque, Ia.	California.	Har'ette V. M. (French)	Dubuque, Ia.	Housewife.	1st	Rev. Dan'l C. Roberts,
		Lily E. A. Park	Paper-ruler.	23	Concord	Nova Scotia.	Henry P. Nicholson	Scotland	Book-binder.	1st	Concord.
15	"	Peter Mercer	"	20	"	England.	Mary J. Hinds	Scotland	Housewife.	1st	Rev. J. N. Plante,
		Odele Audet	Laborer.	26	"	Canada	George Fraser	Canada	Farmer.	1st	Concord.
20	Manches-	Gustavus A. Anderson	Laundress	21	"	"	Robert Park	Sweden	Housewife.	1st	Rev. A. Carlsson,
	[ter	Hannah S. Pearson	Quarryman	25	"	Sweden	Emma Orrin	"	Farmer.	1st	Concord.
24	Concord	Edwin F. Wells	Housework	22	"	"	Frank Mercer	Concord	Housewife.	1st	Rev. Joseph Miett,
		Hattie L. Tucker	Laborer	24	"	Concord	Harriet Martin	Bow.	Housekeeper.	1st	Concord.
24	"	George F. Ordway	Housekeeper	33	"	Bow	Joseph Audet	"	Farmer.	2d	Concord.
		Laura E. Brooks	Railroad	34	"	Webster	Sarah (Turgeon)	Concord	Housewife.	2d	Rev. Ellhu Snow,
25	Bath.	John H. Craigie	Tailoress	39	"	Scotland	Andrew Nelson	Newbury	Farmer.	2d	Concord.
		Florence M. Carbee	Machinist	25	"	Haverhill	Annie (Olson)	Vermont	Housewife.	1st	Rev. R. T. Wolcott,
27	Concord	George C. Moses	Home.	21	Bath.	Haverhill	Gustavus Pearson	Scotland	Tailor	1st	Haverhill, N. H.
		Julia H. Beauregard	Laborer	21	Concord	Concord	Sophia (Anderson)	Chichester	Farmer	1st	Rev. H. P. Dewey,
29	"	George A. Viehmann	Dressmaker	23	"	England	Martin Wells	England	Stone-cutter	1st	Concord.
		Mary A. Clarke	Lawyer	29	New Brunswick,	New Brunswick,	Elia L. (Colby)	Germany	Merchant	1st	Rev. Dan'l C. Easton,
				27	Concord	Concord	William Webber	New York City	Market.	2d	Concord.
							John T. Ordway	"	Housewife.		
							Lizzie E. (Worthing't'n)	"	Housewife.		
							C. G. Brown	"	Housewife.		
							Eliza A. (Calder)	"	Housewife.		
							Jamies C. Craigie	"	Housewife.		
							Mary (Harrold)	"	Housewife.		
							Solomon S. Carbee	"	Housewife.		
							Maria Hathaway	"	Housewife.		
							James F. Moses	"	Housewife.		
							Elia J. (Davis)	"	Housewife.		
							John Beauregard	"	Housewife.		
							Jane A. (Lebrun)	"	Housewife.		
							Anthony Viehmann	"	Housewife.		
							Shaplia L. Litterest.	"	Housewife.		
							Franklin A. Abbott	"	Housewife.		
							Asenath A. (Dow)	"	Housewife.		

MARRIAGES.—DECEMBER.

Date—1897.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Name of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
1	Concord..	Albert P. Baker.....	Concord	23	W.	Belt-cutter....	Concord	Isaac P. Baker..... Elvira E. (Feltch).....	Concord	.....	1st	Rev. Ellhu Snow, Concord.
1	"	Lillian W. Nichols....	"	20	"	Dressmaker..	Nova Scotia....	James A. Nichols.... Sarah E. (Gove).....	Nova Scotia....	Carpenter Housewife....	1st	Rev. John Vannevar, Concord.
1	"	Fred L. Johnson.....	"	25	"	Merchant....	Concord	Joseph G. Johnson.... Lovilla E. (Wood)....	Sanbornston....	.....	1st	Rev. John Vannevar, Concord.
6	"	Aurelia E. Little.....	Northfield.....	20	"	Teacher.....	Somerville, Mass.	Geo. E. Little (man) Georgia P. (Edwards)	Baltimore, Md. Somerville, Mass.	Farmer. Housewife....	1st	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.
6	"	Joseph A. Williamson	Concord	21	"	Laborer.....	Canada.....	John Williamson.... Rachel M. (Ready)....	"	.....	1st	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.
8	"	Etta M. Greenwood..	"	19	"	Housework..	So. Framingham, Mass.	Herman S. Greenwood Lucia E. (Humes)....	Ashland, Mass. Somerville, Mass.	Laborer. Clerk.....	1st	Rev. C. L. Pinkham, Concord.
8	"	Charles H. Heath.....	"	21	"	Clerk.....	Concord	Frank E. Heath..... Eliza A. (Severance)...	Sandwich. Piermont....	Housewife. Marble-cutter..	1st	Rev. C. L. Pinkham, Concord.
11	"	Eva A. Colby.....	"	20	"	Home.....	"	Milton Colby..... C. Ella (Beckford)....	Orford. Sweden.....	Housewife Lumberman....	1st	Rev. O. Lindh, Concord.
11	"	Adolph Harmer.....	"	24	"	Machinist....	Sweden.....	Lars Harmer..... Annie (Gohanna)....	"	.....	1st	Rev. O. Lindh, Concord.
15	"	Salma Roun.....	"	27	"	Housework..	Finland.....	Gustav Roun..... Clara.....	Finland	Ship inspector. Housewife....	1st	Rev. Ellhu Snow, Concord.
15	"	Charles E. Fogg.....	"	28	"	Engineer....	Bridgewater, Vt.	Forrest H. Fogg..... Hiram N. Favor.....	Bridgewater, Vt. Sherburne, Vt.	Farmer. Supt. mill....	11t	Rev. Ellhu Snow, Concord.
16	"	Anna G. Favor.....	Hillaborough....	23	"	.....	Manchester....	Eliza J. (Abbott).... Andrew S. Barber....	Wears Rumney.....	Supt. mill. Housewife....	1st	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.
16	"	Elberton J. Barker...	Concord	28	"	Engineer....	Scott, N. Y.....	Josephine M. (Patter) John Noyes.....	Scott, N. Y. Grafton, N. Y.	.....	2d	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.
22	Boscawen.	Gertrude E. Noyes...	"	20	"	Cook.....	Plymouth, Vt....	Maria D. (Headle).... Charles Blake.....	Plymouth, Vt. Morrissville, Vt.	..... Fireman....	1st	Rev. Geo. W. Farmer, Penacook.
22	Boscawen.	Frank E. Blake.....	"	20	"	Carpenter...	Stockbridge, Vt.	Anna (Bailey)..... Henry Clark.....	Corinth, Vt. Moultonborough.	Housewife. Shoemaker....	1st	Rev. Geo. W. Farmer, Penacook.
22	Boscawen.	Hattie E. Clark.....	Boscawen	23	"	Weaver.....	Hillaborough....	Julia (White).....	Henniker.....	Housewife....	1st	Rev. Geo. W. Farmer, Penacook.

23	Concord ..	John Sandford.....	Concord ..	30	"	Merchant.....	New Brunswick..	Thomas R. Sandford..	Ireland.....	Farmer.....	2d	Rev. Elihu Snow,
		Alice Hill.....	Canaan.....	22	"	Teacher.....	Canaan.....	Mary (Fitzgerald)...	Canada.....	Housewife.....	1st	Concord.
24	"	Sherburne H. Randlett	Concord ..	19	"	Laborer.....	Concord ..	Ellen	Bradford.....	Housekeeper...	1st	Rev. F. L. Phalen,
		Mary Burdon.....	Boston, Mass...	22	"	Nurse.....		Annie (Clifford)....	Concord ..	Carpenter.....	1st	Concord.
24	"	George A. Keaton...	London.....	33	"	Farmer.....	Danbury ..	John Burdon.....	Maine.....	Housewife.....	2d	Rev. Dan'l C. Easton,
		Mary J. Young.....	Concord ..	47	"	Housework...	Canada.....	Elizabeth (Parker)...	Goffstown ..	Farmer.....	2d	Concord.
24	"	Ira W. Sanborn.....	"	34	"	Watchman...	Dorchester. .	Fannie (Gould)....	England ..			
		Hattie E. Whitaker ..	"	31	"	Housework...	Philadelphia, Pa.	Harriet E. (Brown)...	Grafton ..	Housekeeper...	1st	Rev. John Vannevar,
26	Alexan- dria.	Louis A. Lane.....	"	35	"	Undertaker...	Concord ..	Orlison W. Whitaker	Springfield...		1st	Concord.
		Harriet Laycock.....	Alexandria ..	22	"	Teacher.....	England.....	Harriet E.	Sanbornton...	Housekeeper...	1st	Rev. Cephas B. Crane,
29	Concord ..	Willis S. Shepard....	Canton, Mass...	39	"	Manufacturer	Canton, Mass...	Anna (Allison)....	Nova Scotia...		1st	Cambridge, Mass,
		Marion Thompson....	Concord ..	28	"	Home	Concord ..	John Laycock.....	England ..		1st	Rt. Rev. W. W. Niles,
30	"	Jed Carter	"	19	"	Stone-cutter..	"	Martha (Berry)....	Foxboro, Mass.		1st	Concord.
		Gertrude Tucker.....	"	19	"	Housework...	"	James S. Shepard...	Canton.....	Mechanic.....	1st	Rev. John G. Hook,
								Mary (Belcher)....	Holderness...	Housewife...	1st	Concord.
								Al B. Thompson...	Salisbury.....	Laborer.....	1st	Concord.
								Matilda (Smith)...	Canada.....	Housewife...	1st	Concord.
								Joseph Carter.....	Concord ..		1st	Concord.
								Rosa (Mayo).....	"		1st	Concord.
								Benj. G. Tucker...	"		1st	Concord.
								Abbie (Stevens)...	"		1st	Concord.

Deaths Registered in the City of Concord, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1897.

JANUARY.

Date—1897.	Name and surname of deceased.	Age.		Place of birth.		Sex and con- dition.			Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	
		Years.	Months.	Days.	Place of birth.	Male.	Female.	Color.		Single, mar- ried, or widowed.	Father.			Mother.
2	William O. Trussell.....	7	5	Concord.....	M.	F.	W.	W.	Housewife.....	Lynn, Mass.....	N Andover, Mass.....	Otis N. Trussell.....	Margaret L. Parkinson.	
3	Ann R. W. Wyman.....	66	224	".....	"	"	"	"	M. Housewife.....	Atkinson.....	Hopkinton.....	Atkinson Webster.....	Rebecca Smart.	
5	Clarence W. G. Heath.....	1	211	".....	"	"	"	"	W. Webster.....	Webster.....	Pittsfield.....	Fred W. Heath.....	Bertha Moody.	
7	James Scott.....	65	"	Ireland.....	"	"	"	"	Quarryman.....	Ireland.....	Ireland.....	Wilson.....	— Varnum.	
10	Theophilus E. Wilson.....	82	8	2 Cabot, Vt.....	"	"	"	"	W. Bow.....	Londonberry.....	Peacham, Vt.....	Samuel Alexander.....	Marie Poulicate.	
12	Mary Ann Pratt.....	67	218	Bow.....	"	"	"	"	M. Foreman.....	Bow.....	Manchester.....	Joseph Laurent.....	Elizabeth Jose.	
12	John St. Laurent.....	25	4	8 Canada.....	"	"	"	"	M. Housewife.....	Canada.....	Canada.....	David Gaurella.....	Mary Nutt.	
13	Malvina Andis.....	28	225	".....	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	John Maloney.....	Matilda Wales.
15	Martha E. Tarbox.....	44	617	Biddeford, Me.....	"	"	"	"	S. Farmer.....	Ireland.....	Ireland.....	John Quinn.....	Mary Ryan.	
15	Annie E. Maloney.....	3	528	Concord.....	"	"	"	"	M. Stone-cutter.....	Ireland.....	Ireland.....	Levi Pearl.....	— Varnum.	
15	Cassius M. Pearl.....	25	1	Concord.....	"	"	"	"	"	Ireland.....	Ireland.....	John Quinn.....	Marie Poulicate.	
17	William Chambers.....	56	"	Ireland.....	"	"	"	"	Housewife.....	Epsom.....	Epsom.....	Samuel Bickford.....	Elizabeth Jose.	
19	Hannah M. Durgin.....	56	225	Epsom.....	"	"	"	"	"	Ireland.....	Ireland.....	Edward Welsh.....	Matilda Wales.	
20	Margaret Hackitt.....	66	"	Ireland.....	"	"	"	"	"	Ireland.....	Ireland.....	Daniel Green.....	Mary Ryan.	
23	Alice C. Packard.....	79	6	Newbury.....	"	"	"	"	"	Ireland.....	Ireland.....	Andrew Tenney.....	Abigail Critchett.	
23	Franklin A. Tenney.....	86	818	Hanover.....	"	"	"	"	Pattern-maker.....	Norwich, Conn.....	Windsor, Conn.....	John Buckley.....	Julia.....	
24	Sarah B. Sibley.....	49	11	2 England.....	"	"	"	"	Nurse.....	England.....	England.....	Charles P. Guild.....	Nancy Lane.	
24	Nancy J. Guild.....	67	5	Francesstown.....	"	"	"	"	Printer.....	Francesstown.....	Wakesfield.....	Robert Hart.....	Unice Smith.	
25	Oliver Hart.....	70	819	Peacham, Vt.....	"	"	"	"	W. Derby.....	Newington.....	Wakesfield.....	Thomas D. Rogers.....	Sarah Cummings.	
25	Mary Rogers Ayers.....	85	7	5 Derby.....	"	"	"	"	"	Berwick, Me.....	Berwick, Me.....	George Knight.....	Eliza Cook.	
25	Sarah Abbott.....	82	9	Berwick, Me.....	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Andrew Howe.....	Mary McGregor.	
26	John D. Knight.....	71	825	Dalton.....	"	"	"	"	Carpenter.....	Berwick, Me.....	Berwick, Me.....	William Bolger.....	Hannah Knox.	
26	John Bolger.....	62	"	Ireland.....	"	"	"	"	M. Messenger.....	Ireland.....	Ireland.....	Orange Lawrence.....	Betsey Cheney.	
27	Sarah M. Lawrence.....	62	"	Westford, Vt.....	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Orange Lawrence.....	Rose Brophy.	
		62	"	Westford, Vt.....	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Orange Lawrence.....	Alpha Taylor.	

7	Lacy L. Jones.....	78	Concord	"	"	Housewife..	Concord	Canaan..	James Elliott.....	Abbie ———
17	Mary Stohr.....	28	3 18	"	"	"	England.	Concord	John F. Stohr.....	Annie A. Beggs.
17	Margaret H. Clemons.....	4	9 10	Newport	"	"	Syracuse, N. Y.	Concord	William H. Clemons.....	Annie M. Corrigan.
3	Joseph E. Moran.....	"	1	Concord	"	"	W. Concord.....	Ireland	Thomas J. Moran.....	Catherine F. Riley.

FEBRUARY.

1	Susan R. Tate.....	78	9	Henniker	F. W.	W.	Henniker	Henniker	Moses Merrick.....	Lydia Rice.
2	Dana M. Carter.....	81	4 26	Concord	"	M.	Farmer	Ireland	David Carter.....	Mary A. Shepard.
3	Katharine Lee.....	86	"	Ireland..	"	W.	Housekeeper.	Ireland	Wm. Coughlin.....	Mary Bray.
3	Henry A. Copp.....	78	"	Moultonborough	"	M.	Carpenter	Ireland	Jonathan Copp.....	Abigail
4	Andrew Spearman.....	14	19	Penacook	"	W.	Stone-mason.	Concord	Andrew Spearman.....	Bridget Keenan.
4	Basen A. Farnum.....	77	5 28	Concord	"	"	Housewife.	"	Abner Farnum.....	Mary Martin.
5	Hannah S. Currier.....	88	9 7	Glimanton	"	M.	Farmer	Brunswick, Me.	Abraham Locke.....	Keziah Allen.
5	Edwin P. Burpee.....	88	26	New London	"	M.	Farmer	New London	Pearly Burpee.....	Judith Colby.
5	Nancy Ann Davis.....	81	"	Concord	"	"	Housewife.	"	Isaac E. Haines.....	Sally Davis.
6	Mary E. Hammond.....	23	8	"	"	"	"	Albany, N. Y.	Wm. Batchelder.....	Melvina Parker.
8	Samuel J. Shaw.....	72	7	"	"	"	Stone-mason.	Bow.....	Orrin J. Shaw.....	Nancy A. Green.
8	James C. Sherman.....	67	5	Lyman.	"	"	Farmer	Lisbon	S. C. Sherman.....	Hannah Belknap.
10	Betsy Cooney.....	84	"	Ireland..	"	S.	"	Ireland	Stephen Cooney.....	Ellen Ford.
12	John C. Kent.....	75	5 2	Newton, Mass.	"	M.	"	Cambridge, Mass.	James C. Kent.....	Mary Clark.
12	Ransom B. Arley.....	23	11 17	Barton, Vt.	"	S.	Sandwich	Berkshire, Vt.	John Arley.....	Calia Bradley.
12	Euclide Laurion.....	"	6 22	Canada	"	"	Clerk	Canada	Jotlym Laurion.....	Rosanna Laminade.
13	Eugene Labrecym.....	"	7	Concord	"	W.	Housekeeper.	Hooksett.....	Omer Labrecym.....	Aurelia Hebert.
13	Mary E. Noyes.....	73	11 8	Hooksett	"	S.	"	Barnet, Vt.	Laniel Sawyer.....	Sally Ferrin.
13	Jennie B. Cattra.....	26	6	Onarga, Ill.	"	"	"	Ireland	Thomas B. Coltra.....	Lois E. Bliss.
11	James A. Coleman.....	83	6 11	Concord	"	M.	Housewife.	Hancock	Thomas Coleman.....	Mary Welsh.
11	Adelle S. Marshall.....	83	6 9	Danbury	"	"	"	Greenfield	Thomas Hay.....	Jane Wilson.
13	Clarence E. Beckett.....	"	1	Concord	"	W.	Housekeeper.	Aaworth	George A. Beckett.....	Mary H. Thompson.
13	Mary M. Neal.....	82	1 18	Alstead	"	"	"	Ireland	Samuel Watts.....	Thankful Wilson.
13	Ellen M. Lorden.....	80	"	"	"	"	"	Canada	Daniel Lorden.....	Nancy Hurley.
13	Mary Thibodeau.....	"	3	Concord	"	"	"	Concord	Aleck Thibodeau.....	Mary Twombly.

MARCH.

1	Franklin B. Carter.....	74	9	Concord	M.	W.	Concord	Concord	Abial C. Carter.....	Paty Farnum.
1	George J. Barnes.....	55	25	"	"	"	Vermont.	"	Thomas J. Barnes.....	Harriet E. Arlin.
1	Michael Murphy.....	90	6	Ireland.	"	"	Ireland	Ireland	Cornelius Murphy.....	Mary Kelleher.
1	Florence M. Lugg.....	810	4	Concord	F.	"	England	England	John Lugg.....	Sarah A. Williams.

DEATHS-MARCH.—Continued.

Date—1897.	Name and surname of the deceased.			Age.		Place of birth.		Sex and condition.			Occupation.		Place of birth.		Name of father.		Maiden name of mother.	
	Years.	Months.	Days.	Place of birth.		Sex and condition.			Occupation.		Place of birth.		Name of father.		Maiden name of mother.			
				Male.	Female.	Color.	Single, married, or widowed.	Father.	Mother.									
5	Nancy D. Ripley.	66	6	23	New Boston.	F.	W.	Housewife.	Temple.	New Boston.	Theodore Taggart.	Nancy Christie.						
5	Laura S. Torbetts.	80	11	19	Mississippi.	"	W.	Housekeeper.	Scotland.	Ireland.	Jeremiah Watson.	Mary J. Banks.						
5	Mary J. Morrow.	64	1	14	Ireland.	"	"	Housewife.	Hopkinton.	Henniker.	Nathaniel Morrow.	Mary A. Chandler.						
6	Clara L. Carr.	20	5	"	Hopkinton.	"	S.	Housewife.	Ireland.	Ireland.	Frank H. Carr.	Ellen Dandon.						
7	Nora Kenney.	35	"	"	Ireland.	"	S.	Housework.	Sweden.	Sweden.	Thomas Killey.	Stina Johnson.						
8	Ellen Lindquist.	20	10	4	Sweden.	"	W.	Clergyman.	Salem, Mass.	Salem, Mass.	John Lindquist.	Sally Sherry.						
8	Caroline Shepard.	63	5	7	Salem, Mass.	"	M.	Labourer.	Scotland.	Cape Breton.	Samuel Simonds.	Esther Bailey.						
10	John B. Holman.	83	5	2	Hopkinton.	"	S.	Farmer.	England.	England.	Calvin Holman.	Jessie McDonald.						
11	Alma M. A. Dunn.	8	9	"	Harwick, Mass.	"	W.	Farmer.	Canada.	Concord, Mass.	F. J. Dunn.	Annie Morse.						
12	Ethel Phibodeau.	79	"	15	Concord.	"	W.	Farmer.	Gilmanton.	Sanborn.	Aleck Thibodeau.	Mary Twombly.						
13	Thomas B. Flinders.	79	"	27	Concord.	"	"	Farmer.	Meridith.	Concord.	E. Flinders.	Sally Johnson.						
14	Rose S. Paul.	8	4	11	Haverhill.	"	"	Housewife.	Newfields.	"	Judson F. Holt.	M. Annie.						
14	John M. Baker.	67	9	"	Concord.	"	"	Housewife.	Westville, Conn.	New Haven, Conn.	Jonas Meserve.	Nancy F. Chandler.						
16	Sophia H. Field.	91	1	2	Chichester.	"	"	Housewife.	Concord.	Concord.	S. W. Baker.	Jane Chittman.						
16	Frances M. Locke.	72	6	2	Richmond, Canada.	"	M.	Housewife.	England.	Canada.	Jacob Hoyt.	Jennett L. Peck.						
17	George J. Clems.	86	11	3	Lawrence, Mass.	"	"	Housewife.	Concord.	Ireland.	H. W. Hook.	Fanny Tucker.						
18	James F. Hackett.	"	5	"	Concord.	"	"	Painter.	England.	New Brunswick.	Durrell.	Betsy Colby.						
19	Florence M. Plummer.	41	"	9	Alden, N. Y.	"	"	Farmer.	Canada.	England.	T. E. Hackett.	Aurilia Daignault.						
19	Annie J. Sleeper.	19	"	"	Canada.	"	"	Farmer.	Bow.	Bow.	Edward E. Plummer.	Margaret Casey.						
19	Lewis Lovely.	67	"	8	Bow.	"	W.	Housewife.	Hampton.	Concord.	Albert Willodon.	Mary J. Mitchell.						
20	Frederick A. Hickins.	77	"	"	Sanborn.	"	"	Housewife.	Castine, Me.	Ireland.	Theodore Lovely.	Josephine.						
21	Kelle E. Gordon.	29	"	18	Canada.	"	"	Housewife.	Ireland.	Ireland.	Edmund Slon.	Charlotte Dow.						
21	Elizabeth A. Caldwell.	29	"	8	Canada.	"	"	Housewife.	Castine, Me.	Ireland.	Christopher Moulton.	Annie Sanborn.						
22	Catharine M. Savory.	78	"	"	Concord.	"	"	Nurse.	Concord.	Haverhill, Mass.	William Carroll.	Mary J. Small.						
23	Lydia B. Gleason.	78	"	12	Alexandria.	"	W.	Nurse.	Haverhill, Mass.	Haverhill, Mass.	Marshall Baker.	Bridget Dillon.						
24		78	"	24		"					Naomi Hoyt.	Lydia Emerson.						

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		Years.	Months.		Male.	Female.		Color.	Single, mar- ried, or widowed.			Father.	Mother.
8	Henry F. Brown.....	60		Attleboro, Mass.....	M.		W.	Bookkeeper.....	Sekonk, R. I.....	Surry.....	H. H. Brown.....	Mary Daggett.	
9	Valentine Hahn.....	64	4	New Haven, Conn.....	"		W.	"	Germany.....	Germany.....	Thompson.....	Rebecca Robinson.	
10	Marta S. Reed.....	83	10	Hartford, Me.....	F.		"	"	Livermore, Me.....	Livermore, Me.....	A. R. Strickland.....	Emma S. Brown.	
11	Carrie M. Hill.....	39	2	Boston, Mass.....	"		M.	"	England.....	England.....	Geo. J. Sargent.....	Amanda Boardman.	
14	Jessie G. Smith.....	28	10	Concord.....	"		"	"	Canada.....	Canada.....	Joseph Lemieux.....		
16	Rosess Lemieux.....	71	1	Canada.....	"		"	"	Canada.....	Canada.....	James Rowe.....		
17	David Rowe.....	79	2	Hooksett.....	"		W.	"	Pembroke.....	Concord.....	Wm. Abbott.....	Cate.	
17	Esther A. Jenness.....	61	10	2 Pembroke.....	"		"	"	Sanbornton.....	Sanbornton.....	Joseph Woodman.....	Nancy Campbell.	
17	Emily M. Mower.....	74	11	W. Brookline, Vt.....	"		"	"	New Hampton.....	New York.....	John Edson.....	Polly Conkey.	
17	Mary W. Smith.....	74	7	Sanbornton.....	"		"	"	New York.....	New York.....	Alexander Gordon.....	Lydia.....	
17	Elissasie Morrill.....	39	1	Boscawen.....	"		M.	"	Housewife.....	Housewife.....	Samuel Truett.....	Mary J. Hubbard.	
18	Hiram S. Gordon.....	76	3	18 New Hampton.....	"		W.	"	New York.....	New York.....	David R. Hallock.....	Sarah Blaisdell.	
19	Jane A. Fowler.....	79	3	New York City.....	"		"	"	Housewife.....	Housewife.....	Charles Rolfe.....	Catharine Howe.	
20	Irene W. Kimball.....	59	3	Concord.....	"		W.	"	Housewife.....	Housewife.....	John McClantha.....	Bertha Henderson.	
20	Catharine Farnsworth.....	86	12	Huston, Mass.....	"		"	"	Concord.....	Elizabeth't'n, N.Y.....	John Leary.....	Dorothy Drake.	
22	William Aldrich.....	78	3	Concord.....	"		M.	"	Farmer.....	Grafton.....	Jonathan.....	Ada McLain.	
22	William Aldrich.....	78	3	Grafton.....	"		"	"	Dunbarton.....	Dunbarton.....	Fred Sawyer.....	Louise Mitchell.	
24	Pamela L. Ingraham.....	49	11	Concord.....	"		"	"	St. Albans, Vt.....	St. Albans, Vt.....	Samuel D. Gray.....	Abbie Small.	
25	Albert H. C. Knowles.....	63	14	Gilmanton.....	"		M.	"	Belmont.....	Belmont.....	Leavitt Knowles.....	Betsy Drake.	
26	Chas. T. B. Knowlton.....	63	7	Pittsfield.....	"		"	"	Northwood.....	Northwood.....	Wm. Knowlton.....	Pamela Whitcher.	
29	Horace W. Mathews.....	75	8	Canterbury.....	"		"	"	Canterbury.....	Canterbury.....	John Mathews.....		

JUNE.

2	Etta M. R. Keniston.....	46	2	Nashua.....	M.		W.		Housewife.....	Housewife.....	Saxton's River, Vt.....	Roswell H. Reed.....	Charlotte Willard.
3	Calvin Smart.....	80	7	Deerfield.....	"		"		Watchman.....	Watchman.....	Richmond, Vt.....	Benj. Smart.....	Tandy.
3	Joanna Connelly.....	78	5	Ireland.....	"		W.		Housekeeper.....	Housekeeper.....	Ireland.....	John Powers.....	Mary Nugent.

4	Erastus B. Tusker.	66 10	Grafton.	"	"	"	"	"	Geo. Tusker.	Lucinda Gile,
4	Margaret Glennon.	33	Ireland.	"	"	"	"	"	Michael —	
5	Zapha Audet.	29 10	Canada	"	"	"	"	"	Benj. Walsh.	
9	Jonathan Walsh.	79 11	England	"	"	"	"	"	John Carney.	Elizabeth —
10	Catharine F. Payne.	30 6	Charlestown, Mass.	"	"	"	"	"	Mathew Nichols.	Caroline Annis.
15	William T. Nichols.	37 7 26	Concord	"	"	"	"	"	Michael Mahon.	Rosie Allaire.
18	.....	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	Eugene Bickford.	Rosie Corey.
20	.....	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	Joseph Allaire.	Marie Patol.
20	Rose A. Mahew.	39	Canada	"	"	"	"	"	William Tonkin.	Mary A. Reynolda.
21	Graftonville D. Tonkin.	42 8 22	England	"	"	"	"	"	James Dickey.	
23	Mary A. Bond.	76 6	Wilnot	"	"	"	"	"	Thomas Murry.	Charlissa Craggy.
24	Melvin Clifford.	57	"	"	"	"	"	"	James Odell.	Elmira A. Alken.
25	Ellen M. Flanders.	34 9 7	Canada	"	"	"	"	"		
25	Laura J. Rollins.	69 9	Sanbornton.	"	"	"	"	"		

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3	Richard Crowther.	74 11 12	England	"	"	"	"	"	Samuel Crowther.	Jane Somersgille.
5	Joseph J. Wyman.	67 11 28	Concord	"	"	"	"	"	Geo. H. Elder.	Jennie Skillens.
7	John Bresnahan.	50	Ireland	"	"	"	"	"	Reuben Wyman.	Rhoda Hartwell.
8	John Linehan.	30 6 18	"	"	"	"	"	"	Cornelius Linehan.	Annie Vaughan.
11	Wamona M. Kemp.	12 2	Concord	"	"	"	"	"	S. Markius.	Edla Bolavert.
14	Lorena C. Brown.	79 9 8	Providence, R. I.	"	"	"	"	"	John Kemp.	Lizzie Craig.
15	Mary L. Smith.	30	Canterbury.	"	"	"	"	"	Richard Greenough.	Sarah Clough.
15	.....	15	Warner	"	"	"	"	"	Daniel Low.	
15	.....	15	Concord	"	"	"	"	"	Alexander McKee.	Alice C. McClure.
15	.....	15	Concord	"	"	"	"	"	Wm. Trenoweth.	Mary Ahern.
16	Caroline F. Haselton.	70 3 29	Boston, Mass.	"	"	"	"	"	Chas. H. Rolfe.	Sarah Blaisdell.
18	Isaac W. Marsten.	50	Canterbury.	"	"	"	"	"	Abraham Marsten.	Hannah Dickerman.
20	John McCauley.	24	St. Thomas, P. Q.	"	"	"	"	"	John —	Mary A. Lewis.
23	Mary C. Babino.	61 2 15	Concord	"	"	"	"	"	Edward Holland.	Hannah Blake.
24	Ellen B. Hatch.	61 18	Waterbury, Vt.	"	"	"	"	"	Samuel Wiggin.	Christina M. Sanborn.
24	Clara E. Curtis.	35 8 12	Epsom.	"	"	"	"	"	John G. Peterson.	Annie C. Samson.
25	Gustav A. Peterson.	35 8 9	Manchester.	"	"	"	"	"	John Caughlin.	Catharine —
25	Bridget D. Stickney.	65 1 11	Concord	"	"	"	"	"	Hugh Jones.	Harriet Hughes.
26	Elizabeth A. Farrand.	50 1	Ireland	"	"	"	"	"	Chas. F. Hemphill.	Mary A. Higgins.
28	Charles H. Hemphill.	52 5 23	England	"	"	"	"	"	M. T. Call.	Adelaide L. Ross.
29	Marrietta J. Whitman.	32 9 29	Franklin	"	"	"	"	"		
29	Ennice C. Wilcox.	69	Concord	"	"	"	"	"		
29	Susanna Cross.	82 4 14	Canterbury.	"	"	"	"	"	John H. Durgin.	
30	Sarah Abbott.	70 3 25	Concord	"	"	"	"	"	James Gault.	Sarah Holt.

DEATHS. - AUGUST.

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		Years.	Months.		Days.	Male.	Female.		Color.	Single, married, or widowed.			Father.	Mother.
1	Julia A. Engel.....	32	6	8	Lakeport.....		F.	W.	S.	Dressmaker.	Germany.....	Ireland.....	J. P. Engel.....	Mary Harrington,
3	Melissie M. Gilles.....	52	2	14	Northwood.....		"	"	M.	Housewife....	Northwood.....	Northwood.....	George W. Craigue.	Eliza Holite.
5	Helen E. Harrington.....	47	5	20	Bradford.....		"	"	"	"	Warner.....	Cornish.....	George W. Craigue.	Martha A. Smith.
8	Corra E. Gee.....	25	7	5	Bradford.....		"	"	"	"	Warner.....	Concord.....	Thomas J. Moran.	Martha A. Perry.
8	Honora E. Moran.....	8	7	7	Concord.....		"	"	"	"	Ireland.....	Piermont.....	Joseph N. Stevens.	Catherine T. Riley.
13	Martha E. Hannaford.....	34	4	10	Piermont.....		"	"	"	"	Piermont.....	Manchester.....	S. L. Crowell.....	Laura C. Winn.
13	Bridget McCue.....	68	2	1	Concord.....		"	"	"	"	Shelburne, N. S.	"	S. L. Crowell.....	Stella M. Hoyt.
14	Lillian A. Webb.....	40	2	1	Ireland.....		"	"	"	"	Ireland.....	Derby, Vt.....	Bernard McCue.....	Mary Quinn.
16	Hannah W. Simson.....	45	9	23	Vermont.....		"	"	"	"	England.....	England.....	George Williams.	Mercy.....
16	Virginia Roberson.....	32	7	6	Verico, L. I., N. Y.		"	"	"	"	Canada.....	Manchester.....	Walter Roberge.	Virginia Simano.
18	Ellen G. Jellison.....	32	7	6	Manchester.....		"	"	"	"	Newport.....	Sutton.....	L. A. W. Heath.....	Sophia Carlton.
24	Eliza A. Bradley Tuck.....	53	2	18	New London.....		"	"	"	"	Rumney.....	Haverhill, Mass.	Joseph M. Bradley.....	Sarah E. Moreland.
28	David H. Jones.....	74	4	3	Concord.....		"	"	"	"	Acworth.....	Ware.....	Samuel Jones.....	Cornelia Hanson.
29	William Yeaton.....	75	1	15	Epsom.....		"	"	"	"	Epsom.....	Epsom.....	John Yeaton.....	L. McDaniel.

SEPTEMBER.

1	Nyrus Knowles.....	63	11	12	Concord.....		F.	W.	M.	Carpenter....	Gilmanton.....	Canterbury.....	Fred P. Mahoney.....	Rebecca H.
3	William Elkins Hood.....	43	1	12	Belmont.....		"	"	"	"	Concord.....	Concord.....	Harry R. Hood.....	Nelle W. Elkins.
4	Frank L. Sawyer.....	43	1	1	Warner.....		"	"	"	"	Warner.....	Warner.....	George Sawyer.....	Mary C. Tewksbury.
4	Berbert L. Truette.....	42	6	13	Prospect, Me.		"	"	"	"	Frankfort, Me.	Frankfort, Me.	S. S. Truette.....	Angeline Clark.
5	Shirley F. Proctor.....	1	8	1	Concord.....		"	"	"	"	Canada.....	Vermont.....	Joseph Bouenfant.....	Julia Lucier.
5	Arthur F. Varville.....	5	1	8	"		"	"	"	"	Mount Holly, Vt.	Concord.....	Fred H. Proctor.....	Lida F. Spiller.
7					"		"	"	"	"	Canada.....	Canada.....	Joseph Varville.....	Valentine Mariep.

DEATHS—NOVEMBER.

Date—1897.	Name and surname of deceased.	Age.		Place of birth.	Sex and condition.		Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.		
		Years.	Months.		Male.	Female.		Color.	Single, married, or widowed.			Father.	Mother.
2	Robert A. Byrne.....	1	7 28	Concord.....	M.	"	W.	.....	Ireland.....	Concord.....	Charles Byrne.....	Mary J. Arnold.
2	William A. Roache.....	5	6 2	".....	"	F.	"	.....	Canada.....	Vermont.....	Henry Durene.....	Angelina Wilcott.
4	Edward D. Dow.....	25	6 2	".....	"	"	"	.....	Concord.....	Concord.....	Fred R. Roache.....	Lillian Richardson.
4	Everett R. Dow.....	25	5 6	".....	"	"	"	.....	Belmont.....	Mt. Desert, Me.....	Daniel B. Dow.....	Flora Richardson.
8	Myra Fere.....	1	8	".....	"	"	"	.....	Canada.....	New York.....	Daniel B. Dow.....	Flora Richardson.
8	Julia Jesumarie.....	79	8	Canada.....	"	"	"	.....	".....	Canada.....	Forrest Fere.....	Julia Jenney.
8	Andrew S. Smith.....	72	7 20	Hopkinton.....	"	"	"	Farmer.....	Hopkinton.....	Hopkinton.....	Pierre Langlois.....	Eliza A. Sherburne.	
14	Susan Hammond.....	76	7	Ireland.....	"	"	S. Housekeeper.....	.....	Hopkinton.....	Hopkinton.....	Aaron Smith.....	Lucy Locke.
15	Elphaleet S. Nutter.....	77	11 25	Barnstead.....	"	"	W. Journalist.....	.....	Barnstead.....	Barnstead.....	Elphaleet Nutter.....	Unice Webster.
16	Jane M. Hunt.....	74	9	Wilton, Me.....	"	"	M. Housewife.....	.....	Ireland.....	Milton, Me.....	West Robinson.....	Elizabeth McKerley.
17	Joseph W. Robinson.....	67	9	Concord.....	"	"	M. Electrician.....	.....	Ireland.....	Ireland.....	William Smith.....	Ann Daley.
19	Robert Smith.....	25	2 1	".....	"	"	S. Barber.....	.....	".....	Bow.....	John M. Freen.....	Bridget May.
19	William E. Smith.....	25	4 3	".....	"	"	M. Barber.....	.....	New Brunswick.....	Bow.....	John M. Freen.....	Mary.....
19	Mary A. Freen.....	38	6	Bow.....	"	"	".....	.....	".....	Bow.....	John M. Freen.....	Mary.....
20	Abby P. Odlin.....	78	11 14	Newport.....	"	"	M. Housewife.....	.....	Hill.....	Sanbornon.....	Samuel Favor.....	Nahala Smith.
23	Sarah A. Brown.....	74	8 21	Hill.....	"	"	".....	.....	Hill.....	Sanbornon.....	Samuel Favor.....	Nahala Smith.
24	John B. Jemery.....	58	2 4	Canada.....	"	"	Cooper.....	.....	Canada.....	Canada.....	John Jemery.....	Julia Langley.
24	William H. Brown.....	78	1 28	West Concord.....	"	"	Lumberman.....	.....	Rosawen.....	Tamworth.....	Orlando Brown.....	Lucretia Carter.
28	Sarah P. Wentworth.....	74	9 7	Brookline, Mass.....	"	"	Housewife.....	.....	Washington.....	Brookline, Mass.....	Moses Jones.....	Sarah Clark.
29	Emma J. Hibbard.....	43	7 14	Landaf.....	"	"	".....	.....	Canada.....	Concord.....	Selah W. Guernsey.....	Mary C. Davis.
30	.....	.....	.....	Concord.....	"	"	".....	.....	Concord.....	Whitefield.....	Raymond M. Bean.....	Donzetta Stalbird.

DECEMBER.

1	Georgiana S. Adams.....	60	5	Hopkinton.....	.....	Housewife.....	Pembroke.....	Hopkinton.....	Abel P. Holt.....	Abbie Smart.....
2	George W. Landon.....	28	4	Vermont.....	M.	Laborer.....	Canada.....	Canada.....	Joseph Landon.....	Christian Burshee.....
3	Bridget Abner Clough.....	61	8	Ireland.....	"	Housekeeper.....	Ireland.....	Ireland.....	Sennia O'Brien.....	Catherine Scully.....
4	Mary Chandler Clough.....	61	8	Rosawen.....	"	".....	Rosawen.....	E. Concord.....	Samuel W. Lang.....	Mary Eastman.....
5	Edmond Yetta.....	39	9	Montpelier, Vt.....	"	Silvermith.....	Canada.....	Canada.....	William Yetta.....	Mary Rivers.....
6	George Garnett.....	39	9	Concord.....	"	".....	".....	".....	William Garnett.....	Emma Lapierre.....
7	William H. Bell.....	65	2	Sweden.....	"	Housewife.....	Sweden.....	Sweden.....	William Bell.....	Ann Lawrence.....
8	Harold Davis.....	59	1	Andover, Mass.....	"	Jeweler.....	".....	".....	William Davis.....	Estelle Chief.....
9	Olive Alken Evans.....	94	9	Andover, Mass.....	"	Housewife.....	".....	".....	John O. Cutting.....	Mary E.....
10	Daniel K. Foster.....	70	8	Newport.....	"	State Indexer.....	Canterbury.....	".....	Daniel K. Foster.....	Lydia Lane.....
11	David O. Smith.....	70	8	Chloeester.....	"	Blacksmith.....	".....	".....	David O. Smith.....	".....
12	Samantha Young.....	87	11	Mt. Vernon.....	"	Merchant.....	".....	".....	Eliza Jackson.....	".....
13	John W. Hoyt.....	66	1	Grafton, Mass.....	"	".....	Grafton.....	Norwich, Vt.....	Benjamin Hoyt.....	Fannie Hornstring.....
14	Nancy Lougee.....	92	4	London.....	"	".....	".....	".....	Edward Lougee.....	Elizabeth Fletcher.....
15	Anna Lougee.....	92	4	London.....	"	".....	".....	".....	John L. Stevens.....	Charlotte Bowker.....
16	William Lougee.....	92	4	London.....	"	".....	".....	".....	John McMillen.....	Mary Surgenor.....
17	William Lougee.....	92	4	London.....	"	".....	".....	".....	William Moore.....	Catharine Ordway.....
18	Margaret Smith.....	82	11	Denyille, Vt.....	"	Housewife.....	Newburyport.....	Boston.....	Charles W. Davis.....	Frances M. Glines.....
19	Sarah Foster-Moore James.....	69	11	Ireland.....	"	Druggist.....	Scotland.....	Scotland.....	".....	".....
20	Grace M. Davis.....	17	10	Glinanton.....	"	Housewife.....	London.....	London.....	".....	".....
21	".....	17	10	Concord.....	"	".....	Philadelphia.....	Northfield.....	".....	".....

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		Years.	Months.	Days.		Male.	Female.	Color.		Father.	Mother.		
Jan. 1	Mildred Gullmette.	48			Canada.....	M.		W.	Teamster.....				
" 4	Salome Young.	83			Portsmouth.....		F.	"	S.				
" 18	John F. Fogg.	74			New Hampshire.	"	"	"	Farmer.....				
Feb. 6	Sarah J. Rundlett.	81			"	"	"	"	Cloak-maker.				
Mar. 4	Stephen Plant.	86			Canada.....	"	"	"	Farmer.....				
" 14	John Miller.	18			New Hampshire.	"	"	"	"				
" 16	Lucy Rolfe.	83			"	"	"	"	Laundress.				
" 19	Annie O. Howard.	42			"	"	"	"	Machinist.				
April 1	Charles H. Carter.	71			"	"	"	"	Farmer.....				
" 4	Samuel T. Dodge.	70	5		"	"	"	"	Shoe-cutter.				
" 7	Joseph Ward.	27			Massachusetts.	"	"	"	Farmer.....				
" 9	John M. Morse.	73			New Hampshire.	"	"	"	Teacher.....				
" 16	Sarah F. Hall.	37			Claremont.....	"	"	"	Housewife.				
" 21	Nancy N. Chandler.	71			Nashua.....	"	"	"	Mechanic.				
" 27	Luther C. Searles.	49			"	"	"	"	Optician.				
May 11	Stephen McCoy.	57			New Hampshire.	"	"	"	Domestic.				
June 6	Mary J. Goodrich.	71			Salem.....	"	"	"	"				
" 11	Monroe Tubbs.	43			"	"	"	"	Farmer.....				
" 16	Lucian Freeman.	42			New Hampshire.	"	"	"	Mill operative.				
" 18	Susan Nelson.	64			Peterborough.	"	"	"	Physician.				
" 19	Adeline A. Hunt.	55			New Hampshire.	"	"	"	"				
" 19	Edward W. Sawyer.	48			Massachusetts.	"	"	"	"				
July 12	Susan A. Hutchins.	66			Concord.....	"	"	"	Physician.				
Aug. 8	J. H. Cutler.	62			New Hampshire.	"	"	"	"				
" 10	Ettie R. Cook.	46			Swansey.....	"	"	"	Farmer.....				
" 12	Abigail F. Dennett.	48			"	"	"	"	"				
" 30	Ass C. Boutele.	26			"	"	"	"	Bookkeeper.				

Sept. 9	Alice E. Adams.....	39	"	"	"	"	"	"	Housework.....	Melrose, Mass.....	John Larrabee.....	Mary R. Vinton.
23	Margie A. Marston.....	49	"	"	"	"	"	"	Housewife.....	Melrose, Mass.....	John Larrabee.....	
30	Emma M. Sheldon.....	43	"	"	"	"	"	"	Shoe operative.....	Melrose, Mass.....	John Larrabee.....	
Nov. 9	Elbridge Larrabee.....	66	"	"	"	"	"	"	Housewife.....	Melrose, Mass.....	John Larrabee.....	
Dec. 1	Dellina C. Towne.....	44	"	"	"	"	"	"	Machinist.....	Melrose, Mass.....	John Larrabee.....	
"	Edgar J. Ware.....	47	"	"	"	"	"	"	Farmer.....	Melrose, Mass.....	John Larrabee.....	
"	Assa L. Tibbets.....	64	"	"	"	"	"	"	Chair-worker.....	Melrose, Mass.....	John Larrabee.....	
"	Gurdie W. Glasier.....	34	"	"	"	"	"	"				

MARGARET PILLSBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL.

Jan. 18	Thomas H. Clark.....	46	4	"	Dublin, Ireland.....	M.	"	"	Harness-maker.....	Ireland.....	Thomas Clark.....	Mary Ruddy.
"	Mary Perry.....	40	10	"	Pittsfield.....	"	"	"	Housewife.....	Barnstead.....	T. M. Welch.....	Lucinda C. Correll.
Feb. 27	Frederick N. Brown.....	39	6	"	Utica, N. Y.....	"	"	"	"	Palmyra, N. Y.....	Henry Brown.....	Louise K. Norton.
Mar. 22	Louisa J. Sargent.....	65	4	"	Wentworth.....	"	"	"	Oyster business.....	Concord.....	James K. Paige.....	Anna M. Ramsey.
"	Lucien N. Farley.....	45	4	"	Worcester, Mass.....	"	"	"	"	Ireland.....	Nathan Farley.....	Caroline.....
"	Johannah Doyle.....	53	"	"	Ireland.....	"	"	"	County commis'ner.....	Bow.....	John Lane.....	Margaret Keenan.
April 23	Michael Lorden.....	50	"	"	"	"	"	"	Granite manufact'r.....	Bow.....	Andrew B. Sargent.....	Betsy Alexander.
June 12	Simoon Sargent.....	68	6	"	Bow.....	"	"	"	"	Maline.....	Jacob Goss.....	Hannah A. Gove.
"	Frances A. Goss.....	67	"	"	Maline.....	"	"	"	"	Concord.....	Samuel Baker.....	Eliza Proctor.
"	Isaac Baker.....	63	"	"	Concord.....	"	"	"	"	Mashfield, Mass.....	"	"
July 18	Henry Mackey.....	68	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	Alex H. Anderson.....	34	"	"	Scotland.....	"	"	"	"	Canada.....	Peter Oster.....	Laura Dennis.
Aug. 5	William Oster.....	22	"	"	Montpelier, Vt.....	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Sept. 10	Christopher O. Farrell.....	25	"	"	Canada.....	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Sept. 27	Hilbard B. Hannigan.....	35	"	"	Nova Scotia.....	"	"	"	"	Vermont.....	B. T. Bailey.....	Maria C. Elliott.
Oct. 7	Francis A. Bailey.....	26	8	"	Randolph.....	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	Elizabeth Nichols.....	76	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Nov. 8	Joseph Lipset.....	43	"	"	Lowell, Mass.....	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	Oliver A. Davis.....	29	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	John W. C. Moore.....	61	"	"	Wells, Me.....	"	"	"	"	"	"	"

N. H. MEMORIAL HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

Dec. 17	Battifina Barci.....	22	"	"	Milan, Italy.....	F. W.	"	"	Housework.....	"	"	"
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HOME FOR THE AGED.

Date.—1897.	Name and surname of the deceased.	Age.			Place of birth.	Sex and condition.			Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.		Male.	Female.	Color.		Father.	Mother.		
Sept. 27	Jane Smart.....	86	5	8	Hopkinton.....	.....	F.	W.	S.	Housekeeper.....	Hopkinton.....	Caleb Smart.....	Hannah Chandler.

ODD FELLOWS' HOME.

Aug. 14	Reuben S. Harlow	70	4	17	Grantham .....	.....	M.	.....	W.	W.	Baker.....	Cornish.....	Springfield.....	George Harlow...
" 15	Catherine S. Lyford.....	72	4	8	Holderness.....	.....	F.	"	"	Housekeeper.....	Holderness.....	Holderness	Holderness	James Cox.....
Dec. 28	John C. Lyford.....	83	6	2	Pittsfield.....	.....	"	.....	"	Mill overseer.....	Pittsfield.....	Pittsfield.....	Pittsfield.....	Dudley.....
														Nancy Green.

STATE PRISON.

Aug. 10	Jeremiah Clifford.....	41	Boston, Mass.....	M.	W.	S.	Laborer.....
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Total number of births returned for the year,	421
" " marriages returned,	136
" " deaths in the different wards	288
" " deaths in public institutions	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	61
" " brought to the city for burial	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	89

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a transcript from the records of said city of Concord.

JOSEPH A. COCHRAN, City Clerk.

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MUNICIPAL REGULATIONS.

FOR PAYMENT OF BILLS AGAINST THE CITY.

All persons furnishing materials or service for the city, or aid to the city poor, should be particular to take the name of the person ordering such service, material, or aid, and should *know* that the person is duly authorized to contract said liability.

The city will not be holden for merchandise sold or delivered on city pauper account, except on the written order of the Overseer of the Poor, and for no longer time than until his successor shall have been appointed and qualified.

Duplicate copies will be required of all bills payable by the city, furnished on county pauper account.

All bills against the city must be approved by the person authorizing the charge; and unless this is done, no action can be had upon the bill by the Committee on Accounts and Claims, and no order will be given for its payment.

Bills so certified should be left with the City Auditor on or before the second day of the month.

If approved by him and by the Committee on Accounts and Claims, they will be ready for payment on Thursday following the regular monthly meeting of the City Government.

The regular monthly meetings of the City Government occur on the second Tuesday of each month.

JAMES H. MORRIS,
City Auditor.

Ordinances and Joint Resolutions.

PASSED DURING THE

YEAR ENDING JANUARY 24, 1899.

CITY OF CONCORD, ORDINANCES.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR, FOR THE USE OF THE CITY.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

Section I. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and ratable estates within said city the sum of forty-six thousand dollars. (\$46,000) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of the city for the ensuing financial year, which, together with the sums which may be raised by taxes on railroads and from other sources, shall be appropriated as follows:

For payment Memorial Arch bonds	\$5,000 00
For payment of interest	3,700.00
For support of city poor	700.00
For incidentals and land damages, including expenses of indemnity bonds for city officers	3,000.00
For committee service	1,410.00
For printing and stationery	2,500.00
For legal expenses	200.00
For beds at Margaret Pillsbury Hospital.	2,000.00
For Decoration Day	345.00
For aid dependent soldiers	500.00
For public school text books	2,800.00
For open air concerts	300.00
For Blossom Hill cemetery	2,100.00
For Old North cemetery	100.00
For West Concord cemetery	100.00
For Millville cemetery	50.00

CITY OF CONCORD.

For Penacook park	75.00
For Bradley park	75.00
For Rollins park	650.00
For White park	2,850.00
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	\$28,455.00

FOR SALARIES.

Mayor	\$1,000.00
City clerk	1,200.00
• Overseer of poor, Wards 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9	200.00
Overseer of poor, Ward 1	30.00
Overseer of poor, Ward 2	10.00
City auditor	1,000.00
City solicitor	500.00
City treasurer	250.00
City messenger	600.00
Care of city clocks	85.00
Clerk of common council	50.00
Board of education Union School District	250.00
Board of education, District No. 20	25.00
Town district school board	200.00
Nine assessors	2,700.00
Nine moderators	27.00
Nine ward clerks	90.00
Twenty-seven selectmen	135.00
Judge police court	800.00
Clerk of police court	200.00
Collector of taxes so much as may be necessary of the sum of	1,500.00
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	\$10,852.00

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

For salary of librarian, assistants and janitor	\$2,765.00
For purchase of books and magazines	700.00
For printing catalogue	400.00
For fuel and lights	315.00
For binding	400.00
For repair of roof	335.00
For incidentals	85.00
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	\$5,000.00

BOARD OF HEALTH.

For salary of health officer	\$300.00
For salary of board of health	75.00

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For rent	108.00
For lights	10.00
For care of pest house	15.00
For assistance in sanitary inspection	100.00
For bacteriological tests	150.00
For materials for fumigation	27.00
For incidental expenses	150.00
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	\$1,435.00

POLICE AND WATCH.

Salary city marshal	\$1,200.00
Salary deputy marshal	900.00
Salary captain of watch	850.00
Pay of eight patrolmen	6,400.00
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	\$9,350.00
Pay of janitor	225.00
Pay of special policemen	300.00
Fuel city proper	200.00
Fuel Penacook	30.00
Board of horse and shoeing	285.00
Extra horse hire in city	30.00
Extra horse hire at Penacook	30.00
Lights in city and Penacook	180.00
Rent at Penacook	108.00
Water	28.00
Ice	15.00
Helmets and buttons	50.00
Uniforms for special police	50.00
Police commissioners	150.00
Police telephone service	500.00
Incidentals	125.00
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	\$11,656.00

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Salary commissioner of highways	\$1,400.00
General maintenance and repairs	18,000.00
Permanent work	6,500.00
Cleaning Streets	4,300.00
New concrete (sidewalks and crossings)	2,000.00
Repairing concrete	1,500.00
Catch basins, construction and cleaning	1,300.00
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	\$35,000.00

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

Salary city engineer	\$1,500.00
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Salary assistants	1,000.00
Supplies	100.00
Repairs	50.00
Rent	204.00
Incidentals	146.00
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	\$3,000.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Chief engineer, salary	\$950.00
Assistant engineers (precinct) salary	250.00
Permanent force pay rolls	5,568.00
Kearsarge Steamer Co., pay rolls	1,010.00
Eagle Steamer Co., pay rolls	1,010.00
Hook and Ladder Co., pay rolls	1,615.00
Gov. Hill Relief Co., pay rolls	195.00
Alert Hose Co., pay rolls	815.00
Good Will Hose Co., pay rolls	815.00
Pioneer Steamer Co., pay rolls	500.00
Pioneer Steamer Co., salary engineer	75.00
Pioneer Steamer Co., salary assistant engineer	25.00
Pioneer Steamer Co., steward	30.00
Pioneer Steamer Co., janitor	45.00
Cataract Co., pay rolls	240.00
Cataract Co., salary assistant engineer	10.00
Cataract Co., steward	15.00
Cataract Co., janitor	15.00
Old Fort Co., pay rolls	240.00
Old Fort Co., salary assistant engineer	10.00
Old Fort Co., steward	15.00
Rent Veteran Firemen's Association	150.00
For extra men for vacations	214.16
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	\$13,812.16
For forage	500.00
For fuel	400.00
For lights	450.00
For water	116.50
For horse shoeing	300.00
For purchase of horses	300.00
For horse hire	400.00
For washing	100.00
For fire alarm	650.00
For supplies for chemical engine	50.00
For hose	525.00
For incidentals	1,396.34
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	\$19,000.00

Sec. 2. There shall be raised in like manner the sum of thirty-four thousand seven hundred and five dollars (\$34,705) for the support of schools for the ensuing financial year, which, together with the income of the Abial Walker fund, shall be appropriated and divided among the several school districts according to the valuation thereof.

Sec. 3. In addition to the foregoing, there is appropriated for the cemeteries of the city one half of the income from the sale of lots and the income derived from the care of lots and grading, which sum shall be deposited by the superintendents, or others receiving them, in the City Treasury. The care of lots for which the city holds trust funds shall be paid from the money appropriated for the care of cemeteries, and so much of the income from these trust funds as may be thus expended shall be deposited in the city treasury at the close of the year, and the remainder, in each instance, credited to the individual funds. The office of treasurer of the cemetery commission is hereby abolished, and the salary of twenty-five dollars (\$25) heretofore allowed the treasurer of the cemetery commission shall be paid to the city treasurer from the appropriation for Blossom Hill cemetery for performing the work heretofore done by the treasurer of the cemetery commission.

Sec. 4. Of the earnings of the fire department for the year 1898 to be deposited in the city treasury, there is hereby appropriated in addition to the amounts raised by taxation to the sum of eight hundred dollars (\$800) for forage and the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200) for fuel for that department.

Passed January 8, 1898

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE GAS AND SEWERAGE PRECINCT, FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR,

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

Sec. 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and ratable estates within the gas and sewerage precinct of said city the sum of twelve thousand five hundred and forty-five dollars (\$12,545) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of the precinct for the ensuing financial year, which shall be appropriated as follows:

For the payment of interest that may become due on sewer bonds, two thousand five hundred and forty-five dollars (\$2,545).

For the lighting of streets in said precinct, ten thousand dollars (\$10,000).

Sec. 2. In addition to the foregoing appropriation for lighting streets, the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) of the unexpended balance of the

precinct appropriations for 1897 is hereby made available for the year 1898.

Passed February 8, 1898.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE CITY WATER PRECINCT, FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

Sec. 1. there shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the polls and ratable estates within the water precinct of the city the sum of six thousand dollars (\$6,000) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of the water precinct for the ensuing financial year, which shall be appropriated as follows;

For water for hydrant service, six thousand dollars (\$6,000).

Passed February 8, 1898.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE STREET SPRINKLING PRECINCT, FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

Sec. 1. There shall be raised and there is hereby ordered to be raised, on the rolls and ratable estates within the street sprinkling precinct of said city the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of the street sprinkling precinct for the ensuing financial year, which shall be appropriated as follows:

For sprinkling streets, three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500).

Sec. 2. In addition the foregoing appropriation, the unexpended balance of appropriation for street sprinkling for the year 1897 is hereby made available for the year 1898.

Passed February 8, 1898.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE PENACOOK SEWERAGE PRECINCT, FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

Section 1. There shall be raised and there is hereby ordered to be

raised, on the polls and ratable estates within the Penacook sewerage precinct the sum of one thousand seven hundred and sixty dollars (\$1,760) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of said precinct for the ensuing financial year, which shall be appropriated as follows:

For the payment of the sum becoming due in accordance with an ordinance establishing a sinking fund, five hundred dollars, (\$500).

For the payment of interest that may become due on precinct bonds, nine hundred and sixty dollars (\$960).

For repairs of sewers, three hundred dollars (\$300).

Passed February 8, 1898.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE WEST CONCORD SEWERAGE PRECINCT, FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

Section 1. There shall be raised, and there is hereby ordered to be raised on the polls and ratable estates within the West Concord sewerage precinct the sum of eleven hundred and eighty dollars (\$1,180) to defray the necessary expenses and charges for said precinct for the ensuing financial year, which shall be appropriated as follows:

For the payment of the sum becoming due in accordance with an ordinance establishing a sinking fund, five hundred dollars (\$500).

For the payment of interest that may become due on precinct bonds, six hundred and eighty dollars (\$680)

Passed February 8, 1898.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE RAISED ON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY AND INHABITANTS WITHIN THE EAST CONCORD SEWERAGE PRECINCT FOR THE ENSUING FINANCIAL YEAR.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

Section 1. There shall be raised and there is hereby ordered to be raised on polls and ratable estates within the East Concord sewerage precinct the sum of one hundred and seventy dollars (\$170) to defray the necessary expenses and charges of said precinct for the ensuing financial year, which shall be appropriated as follows:

For the payment of the sum becoming due in accordance with an ordinance establishing a sinking fund, one hundred dollars (\$100).

For the payment of interest that may become due on precinct bonds, seventy dollars (\$70)

Passed February 8, 1898.

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR A TEMPORARY LOAN TO PAY FOR THE ADDITION TO BLOSSOM HILL CEMETERY.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the city treasurer under the advice and direction of the committee on finance is hereby authorized to procure by temporary loan upon the credit of the city the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) at the lowest practical per centum to pay for the addition to Blossom Hill cemetery authorized by recent vote of the city council.

Passed February 8, 1898.

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING BONDS FOR CITY OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

Section 1. Bonds shall be required of officers and employees of the city as follows: City treasurer, twenty-five thousand dollars; tax collector, twenty-five thousand dollars; city auditor, two thousand dollars; city clerk, two thousand dollars; commissioner of highways, one thousand dollars; city liquor agent, one thousand dollars; city marshal, one thousand dollars; assistant city marshal, one thousand dollars; superintendent of cemeteries, one thousand dollars; clerk of police court, five hundred dollars.

Sec. 2. Bonds required of the foregoing officers shall be those of surety companies licensed by the insurance commissioner to do business in this state if in terms such bonds comply with the requirements of the city ordinances and the laws of this state, and the board of mayor and alderman are satisfied of the financial ability of the company as such surety; otherwise bonds may be given in double the amount specified in the foregoing section with sureties to the satisfaction of the board of mayor and aldermen, provided such sureties are owners of unencumbered real estate to the value of the penal sum of said bonds.

Sec. 3. If the bonds of surety companies are furnished to the satisfaction of the board of mayor and aldermen the expense of such bonds shall be borne by the city.

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage and all or-

dinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Passed February 8, 1898.

AN ORDINANCE RATIFYING THE PURCHASE OF AN ADDITION TO WHITE PARK AND PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

Section 1. The action of the park commissioners in purchasing land of James H. Rowell as an addition to White park for the sum of fourteen hundred dollars (\$1,400) is hereby ratified and confirmed, and the city treasurer is hereby authorized to pay for the same by issuing notes of the city as follows:

One for five hundred dollars for one year from March 1, 1898.

One for five hundred dollars for two years from March 1, 1898.

One for four hundred dollars for three years from March 1, 1898.

Passed February 8, 1898.

AN ORDINANCE ALLOWING A DISCOUNT OF TWO AND ONE HALF PER CENTUM ON TAXES.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

Section 1. That a discount of two and one half per centum shall be allowed on all taxes paid on or before the fifth day of July in each year in which they are assessed.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage, repealing an ordinance passed March 29, 1895.

Passed March 8, 1898.

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF BILLS INCURRED BY THE CITY MARSHAL.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the mayor is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the city treasurer for the payment of bills for expenses incurred by the city marshal in the discharge of his duty upon the approval by the city auditor, and all such bills shall be laid before the committee on accounts and claims at their next meeting.

Passed April 12, 1898.

AN ORDINANCE]PROVIDING FOR 'THE LOAN OF TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS ;(\$250.00)' FOR SEWERS IN PENACOOK SEWERAGE PRECINCT.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the treasurer of said city is hereby authorized to procure by loan on the credit of the city the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250.00) for the purpose of defraying the expense of maintenance and repairs of sewers in Penacook sewerage precinct.

Passed Sept. 13, 1898.

AN ORDINANCE ENLARGING THE SEWER PRECINCT.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the present Sewer Precinct, as described in Chapter XXIII, Section 1, of the revised ordinances, shall be enlarged as follows:

Commencing at the southerly line of the present Sewer Precinct on Turnpike Street; thence southerly on Turnpike street to McKinley Street, including the property abutting on the southerly side of said Street; thence westerly by said McKinley Street to Broadway; thence northerly by Broadway to "the southerly line of the present precinct; thence easterly and southerly by the old precinct line, to the point of beginning.

Passed Nov. 10, 1898.

AN ORDINANCE IN AMENDMENT OF SECTION 21, CHAPTER 18; OF THE REVISED ORDINANCES, RELATING TO THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

Section 1. That Section 21 of Chapter 18 of said Revised Ordinances is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 21. If any member of either of the several companies shall wilfully neglect or refuse to discharge his duty or shall be guilty of disorderly conduct or disobedience to any officer or to any engineer, he shall for any such offence be forthwith dismissed from the department by direction of the chief engineer.

No person shall be a member of, or serve in, the Fire department who is under the age of twenty years, and no person whose occupation is carried on outside the city shall be appointed a member of the Fire department.

Passed Dec. 13, 1898.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE TRANSFER OF \$100 TO THE APPROPRIATION FOR SEWERS.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of one hundred dollars of the unexpended balance of the South End Sewer appropriation be and the same is hereby transferred to the appropriation for Sewers.

Passed Dec. 13, 1898.

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 271, PASSED SEPT. 13, 1898, AND AUTHORIZING THE TRANSFER OF \$400 TO THE PENACOOK SEWERAGE PRECINCT.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

Section 1. That the ordinance No. 271 entitled "An ordinance providing for the loan of \$250 for sewers in the Penacook Sewerage Precinct, passed Sept. 13, 1898, is hereby repealed.

Sec. 2. That the city treasurer is hereby authorized to transfer from the accumulated earnings of the sinking fund of the Penacook Sewerage precinct, the sum of four hundred dollars to the appropriation of "Maintenance of said precinct.

Passed Dec. 13, 1898.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING TEMPORARY LOAN IN PART PAYMENT FOR PENACOOK BRIDGES.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

That the city treasurer, under the advice and direction of the committee on Finance, be authorized to borrow on the credit of the city the sum of seven thousand dollars, for the purpose of paying a portion of the expenses incurred in building the Penacook bridges, and to pay for the same by issuing notes of the city as follows:

One for \$3,500 payable two years from January 20, 1899; due January 20, 1901.

One for \$3,500 payable three years from January 20, 1899; due January 20, 1902.

And the same is hereby appropriated for that purpose.

Passed Jan. 10 1899.

AN ORDINANCE IN RELATION TO PRINTING THE ANNUAL REPORT.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

Sec. 1. There shall be printed annually, under the direction of the city

auditor, twenty-eight hundred copies of the financial report of the city—together with all the annual reports of the city officials and heads of departments, required to be made to the city council—the report of all the boards of education in the city—vital statistics, and such other matter as the city council may order, for general distribution among the citizens of Concord—said report shall be prepared and issued on or before April 1st. in each year.

Sec. 2. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed, and it shall take effect on its passage.

Passed Jan. 10, 1899.

RESOLUTIONS.

A JOINT RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO THE DISCONTINUANCE OF A BRANCH OF THE DUNBARTON ROAD IN MILLVILLE.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows :

That the branch of the Dunbarton road, so called, at Millville in said Concord, described as follows, namely: Beginning at the fork in said Dunbarton road opposite the New Lower School building, so called, at a point marked: "B" on the annexed plan; thence running south 6 degrees east by the existing highway across the bridge near the school laundry, about one thousand feet to the bend in the highway; thence running south 80 degrees west by the existing highway about eleven hundred and seventy-two feet to the intersection of said road with the cross road easterly of the Orphans' home buildings, at a point marked "A" on the annexed plan, may be discontinued and the same is hereby discontinued so far as the power of this council extends; and that a petition or such discontinuance be made to the supreme court for Merrimack county, at the next term thereof and for the consent of the court thereto, such proceedings to be at the cost and expense of St. Paul's School; and the mayor of said city is hereby authorized to sign such petition in the name of said city upon receiving reasonable indemnity against said cost and expense, and an agreement satisfactory to the mayor and city council by St. Paul's School providing that the city shall at all times have the right to enter the road so discontinued for the purpose of relaying or repairing city water pipes thereon.

Passed Jan. 21, 1898.

A RESOLUTION RELEASING CLAIM TO A TRUST FUND WHICH HAS BEEN PAID TO SAID CITY.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows :

That the city of Concord does hereby release and discharge the es-

tate of Betsey Hadley, late of Irasburgh, Vermont, formerly of this city, from any liability on account of a certain legacy amounting to \$100.00, bequeathed to said city in trust for the maintenance and care of the Moses Hadley lot in Blossom Hill cemetery, it appearing that said sum of \$100.00 was paid to said city by said Betsey Hadley before her decease; and the mayor is hereby authorized to execute a proper release and discharge in the name of said city, to give effect to this resolution.

Passed February 8, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION MAKING APPROPRIATION FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE OF SEWERS.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

That the joint resolution of September 14, 1897, authorizing the use of any part of the proceeds of the sale of bonds for the construction of the South End sewer not required for that purpose in constructing laterals thereto, is hereby repealed, and the sum of four thousand dollars of the unexpended balance of the proceeds of the sale of said bonds is hereby appropriated for the construction and maintenance of sewers for the year 1898.

Passed February 8, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION IN RELATION TO THE RECEIPT BOOKS OF THE TAX COLLECTOR.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

That the city auditor is hereby instructed to prepare receipt books for the tax collector of 1898 in the manner and form adopted by the finance committee and assessors for the year 1897.

Passed March 8, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF A SITE IN WARD ONE FOR A POLICE STATION AND LOBBY.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

That the committee on lands and buildings are hereby authorized to purchase a lot of land east of the Washington House, so called, in Ward One, Concord, and known as the Moran lot, at an expense not exceeding nine hundred dollars (\$900), and there is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated a sum not exceeding nine hundred dollars (\$900), to pay for such purchase.

Passed March 8, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR A TEMPORARY LOAN NOT EXCEEDING TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$25,000) TO MEET THE USUAL AND CURRENT EXPENSES OF THE PRESENT FISCAL YEAR, AS THEY MAY BECOME DUE.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the city treasurer, under the advice and direction of the committee on finance, is hereby authorized to procure for a period not exceeding four months by temporary loan upon the credit of the city, such sum as may be necessary, not exceeding in the total twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), at the lowest practical per. centum, to be used exclusively in meeting the usual and current expenses of the city during the present fiscal year as they may become due.

Passed March 8, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PREPARATION AND PUBLICATION OF THE VALUATION OF THE CITY ASSESSORS FOR 1897.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

Sec. 1. That the city clerk is hereby authorized and instructed to prepare for publication, at an expense not exceeding fifty dollars (\$50), a list of the real and personal valuations of the city of Concord for the year 1897 as established by the assessors for that year, omitting from that list the names of all those who pay only a poll tax.

Sec. 2. After this list is prepared, the finance committee is hereby instructed to procure the publication of the same in one of the daily newspapers of Concord, if said publication can be procured at an expense not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) and the cost of preparing and publishing said list shall be charged to the appropriation for incidentals.

Passed March 8, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION IN RELATION TO THE BRIDGES IN WARD ONE, CONCORD.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

That a committee, consisting of the mayor and the committee on roads and bridges, be, and hereby is, authorized to contract for the construction of a new steel bridge across the Contoocook river in Ward One, and for the removal of the present iron bridge across said river and its reconstruction and substitution for the wooden twin bridge, so called, in said

ward, at a total expense, including repairs and construction of abutments, not exceeding ten thousand dollars.

Passed April 12, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION IN RELATION TO SHINGLING CHIEF ENGINEER'S HOUSE.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows :

The committee on lands and buildings are hereby authorized and instructed to shingle the roof of Chief Engineer Greene's house, Warren Street. A sum of money sufficient to defray the expense thereof shall be appropriated out of the regular appropriation for incidentals not exceeding the sum of sixty dollars (\$60).

Passed April 12, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION IN RELATION TO REPAIRING THE FENCE IN THE REAR OF CHIEF ENGINEER'S HOUSE.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

That the committee on lands and buildings be authorized to repair the fence at the rear of the house occupied by Chief Engineer Greene.

An amount necessary to defray the expense thereof to be appropriated out of the regular appropriation for incidentals, said sum not to exceed twenty dollars.

Passed April 12, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION DISCONTINUING A PORTION OF CHANDLER STREET.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows :

That that portion of the highway known as Chandler Street in said Concord, as heretofore laid out, which lies between Merrimack River on the east and easterly line of Railroad Street extended southerly across said Chandler Street on the West be and the same is hereby discontinued.

Passed May 10, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF TWENTY NINE DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS (\$29.50) TO SETTLE SUIT OF TRUEWORTHY L. FOWLER V. CONCORD.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows ;

That the sum of \$29.50 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated to be paid to Trueworthy L. Fowler in settlement of his suit against said City.

Passed May 10, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION REFUNDING TAXES.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

That the following sums be refunded to the parties herein named for taxes illegally paid and that the same be charged to the appropriation for incidentals:

Oscar F. Emmons, \$2.10, tax of 1895, paid twice.

Clarence F. Fipphen, \$2.12, tax of 1897, pays in Weare.

William Cheever, \$2.32, tax of 1897, paid twice.

Passed June 14, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION MAKING AVAILABLE FUNDS FOR THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

That the sum of nineteen dollars and sixty-nine cents (\$19.69) of the appropriation for incidentals for the public library be and hereby is made available for the payment of bills for the repair of the roof of the Public Library building.

Passed June 14, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF FLAGS FOR THE GOOD WILL AND ALERT HOSE COMPANIES,

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the committee on lands and buildings be and hereby is authorized to erect a suitable pole for flying the United States flag at the Alert Hose Company house and to procure two flags for the use of the Alert and Good Will Hose Companies at a total expense not to exceed thirty dollars (\$30.00), and that the same be charged to the appropriation for incidentals.

Passed June 14, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION IN RELATION TO REPAIRS ON PLEASANT STREET, IN PENACOOK.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the commissioner of highways be instructed to put in repair the bank wall and sidewalk adjacent to the Concord Street railroad track on Pleasant street in Penacook, the location of which was recently changed by direction of the city government, the expense therefor not to exceed eight hundred dollars, to be charged to the appropriation for incidentals.

Passed June 23, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE APPROPRIATION FOR FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

Section 1. That the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for the appropriation for incidentals of the fire department be and the same is hereby made available for the purchase of horses.

Sect. 2. That the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150.00) of the appropriation for incidentals of the fire department be and the same is hereby made available for horse hire.

Sect. 3. That the sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$125.00) of the appropriation for incidentals of the fire department be and the same is hereby made available for fire alarm.

Passed July 12, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION MAKING AVAILABLE FUNDS FOR USE OF BLOSSOM HILL CEMETERY.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

That in anticipation of receipts of income from the sale of lots and other sources, of the Blossom Hill Cemetery, the auditor be, and is hereby authorized to approve bills and accounts against said cemetery, from this date to the end of the present financial year, to an amount not exceeding twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00). And that the mayor is hereby authorized to draw his warrant for the payment of the same.

Passed August 9, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE PAINTING OF THE CITY BUILDING IN WARD THREE.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

That the Committee on Land and Buildings be authorized to expend a sum of money not exceeding (\$225) two hundred and twenty-five dollars, the same to be charged to the appropriation for incidentals, for the painting of the city building in Ward three.

Passed August 9, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING MONEY FOR PINE GROVE CEMETERY.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

That the sum of (\$25.00) twenty-five dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated for the proper use and care of Pine Grove Cemetery.

And that the same be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed August 9, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION MAKING AVAILABLE FUNDS FOR USE OF OLD NORTH CEMETERY.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

That in anticipation of receipts of income from the sale of lots and other sources of the Old North Cemetery, the auditor be, and is hereby authorized to approve bills and accounts against said cemetery from this date to the end of the present financial year, to an amount not exceeding (\$75.00) seventy-five dollars. And the mayor is hereby authorized to draw his warrant for the payment of same.

Passed August 9, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN EXCHANGE OF LAND BELONGING TO THE CITY OF CONCORD, FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES AND FOR USE OF THE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

That the City of Concord will sell to Union School District the city lot, so called, situated between School, Centre and High streets, containing about 87,825 square feet, as shown on the plan of said lot, in exchange and full payment for the lot of land situated between Warren and Pleasant streets, containing about 145,200 square feet, as shown on the plan of said lot, provided the said Union School District will pay the city a sum not exceeding \$1,000 for the expense of removing the city buildings from the present city lot to the said Pleasant street lot.

Resolved, that the mayor be authorized to execute a proper deed to the Union School District of the present city lot, and be also authorized to receive a deed of the Pleasant street lot from said district in exchange as aforesaid.

Passed August 9, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PURCHASE OF DRINKING FOUNTAIN IN WARD 1 (PENACOOK).

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

That such necessary amount of money, not exceeding (\$150.00) one hundred and fifty dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated for the purchase of a drinking fountain, to be located in a convenient and desirable place in Penacook, Ward 1. And that such sum be paid out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated.

Passed August 9, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING \$24.81 FOR REIMBURSING N. E. MARTIN ET ALS. FOR OVERPAID TAXES.

That the sum of (\$24.81) twenty-four and 81-100 dollars be refunded to N. E. Martin and others,—this sum having been paid through error,

to the tax collector. And that the same be charged to the appropriation for incidentals.

Passed August 9, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

Section 1. That the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) be and the same is hereby made available for fire alarm, same to be taken from money appropriated for vacations.

Sec. 2. That the sum of twenty-nine dollars and eight cents (\$29.08) be and the same is hereby transferred from vacations to incidentals.

Passed Sept. 13, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR INCIDENTALS AND LAND DAMAGE.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

That the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to be used for incidental expense and land damage.

Passed Sept. 13, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING (\$21.20) TWENTY-ONE AND 20-100 DOLLARS FOR REIMBURSING FRANK ADAMS FOR OVERPAID TAXES.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

That the sum of (\$21.20) twenty-one and 20-100 dollars be refunded to Frank Adams, this sum having been paid through error to the tax collector. And that the same be charged to the appropriation for incidentals and land damage.

Passed October 11, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR PAINTING PRISON AT POLICE STATION.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

That the committee on lands and buildings be authorized to expend a sum of money not exceeding seventy dollars (\$70.00) the same to be charged to the appropriation for incidentals, for the painting of the east side of the prison at the police station, with one coat of white paint.

Passed October 11, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE COMPLETION OF REPAIRS ON PLEASANT STREET IN PENACOOK.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

That the commissioner of highways be instructed to complete the work in repairing the bank wall and sidewalk, adjacent to the Concord street railroad track on Pleasant street, in Penacook, the expense therefor, not to exceed the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200.00) to be charged to the appropriation for incidental.

Passed October 11, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION IN RELATION TO THE ADJOURNMENT OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

That, inasmuch as the second Tuesday of November next comes on the eighth inst., the same day of the biennial election, the present meeting of the Boards of Aldermen and Common Council be adjourned to meet Thursday, November 10, 1898, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Passed October 11, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION RELATING TO APPROPRIATION FOR FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

That the sum of twenty-five dollars of the appropriation for incidentals be, and the same is hereby, made available for fire alarm.

Passed October 11, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SALE OF A PORTION OF THE CITY LOT TO UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows :

That all that portion of the City lot, so called, situated west of the westerly line of Holt street extending northerly from its present terminus on School street, and the westerly line of land of the Concord Street Railway to Centre street, be sold to the Union School District in the city of Concord for the sum of two thousand five hundred (\$2,500) dollars, said amount to be paid by a note of said Union School District payable in six months without interest, and the mayor is hereby authorized to execute in the name of the city a deed of said land to said Union School District, and the city treasurer is hereby authorized to receive and accept said note in payment therefor.

Passed Nov. 10, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION IN REGARD TO A HOSE HOUSE IN WARD ONE.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows :

That the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) be, and the same is hereby appropriated to defray the expense of building a Hose house in Ward One, the same to be paid from the amount appropriated for incidental expenses, the same to be expended under the direction of the committee on land and buildings.

Passed Nov. 10 1898,

A JOINT RESOLUTION REPEALING A JOINT RESOLUTION RAISED AUGUST 9, 1898.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows :

That the joint resolution passed August 9, 1898, authorizing an exchange of land belonging to the city, for school purposes and for the use of the highway department, be, and hereby is repealed.

Passed Nov. 10, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE APPROPRIATION FOR FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows :

Sec. 1. That the sum of sixty dollars of the appropriation for Fire Department now allotted to Forage be, and the same is hereby made available for horsehire.

Sec. 2. That the sum of fifty dollars of the appropriation for Fire Department now allotted to Feed be, and the same is hereby made available for Fire alarm.

Passed Nov. 10, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION RELATING TO APPROPRIATION OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows :

That the sum of two hundred dollars of the appropriation for sidewalks and crossings, new, be and the same is hereby made available for Catch Basins.

Passed Nov. 10, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION FOR THE PAYMENT OF INSPECTORS OF ELECTIONS AND SUPERVISORS, FOR THE BIENNIAL ELECTION, 1898.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

Sec. 1. That the Inspectors of Election be paid for their services, rendered during the election in November, 1898, as follows :

Inspectors on duty in Wards 2, 3, 8, and 9 be paid the sum of five dol-

lars each, and the inspectors on duty in Wards 1, 4, 5, 6, and 7 be paid the sum of seven dollars each.

This money, \$220, to be paid out of the money appropriated; for salaries.

Sec. 2. That the several Supervisors who served at the biennial election in November, 1898, to be paid the following sums, as set against their respective wards.

Each supervisor in Ward 1, nine dollars.

"	"	"	2, six dollars.
"	"	"	3, six dollars and fifty cents.
"	"	"	4, twelve dollars.
"	"	"	5, nine dollars. and fifty cents.
"	"	"	6, twelve dollars.
"	"	"	7, ten dollars.
"	"	"	8, seven dollars.
"	"	"	9, seven dollars.

and that the amount \$237, be paid out of the appropriation for salaries.

Passed Dec. 13, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING TRANSFER OF ITEMS UNDER ANY GENERAL APPROPRIATION.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows :

That the auditor be and is hereby authorized by transfer from the excesses of any item in any general appropriation, to make up any insufficiencies in any item or items in the same general appropriation.

Passed December 13, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING \$600 FOR SALARIES.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows :

That the sum of six hundred dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, for the payment of salaries.

Passed December 13, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING MONEY FOR INCIDENTALS AND LAND DAMAGES.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord. as follows :

That the sum of \$500.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the incidentals and land damages' account, out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated.

Passed December 13, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE CARE AND REPAIR OF THE TOWER CLOCK, PENACOOK.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents be paid to the estate of William H. Bell for the care and repair of the tower clock in Penacook, from July 1, 1897 to January 1, 1899.

Said care and repairs to January 1, 1899 to be acceptable to Alderman Foote and Sanders.

Passed December 31, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$300 TO PAY CLAIM OF NELLIE A. MERRILL, GUARDIAN OF JOSHUA B. MERRILL.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

That the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300) be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of paying to Nellie A. Merrill and Nellie A. Merrill Guardian of Joshua B. Merrill, the damages awarded to them for changing the grade of North Main street and that the same shall be charged to the appropriation for incidentals and land damages.

Passed December 31, 1898.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING MONEY FOR PART PAYMENT OF PENACOOK BRIDGES.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord as follows:

That upon the recommendation of the committee on finance, the sum of thirty-two hundred dollars (\$3,200), be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to be paid on account of, and in part payment for, the Penacook bridges.

Passed January 10, 1899.

A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN ADDITIONAL TRUANT OFFICER FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 20.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the school board of school district No. 20 be, and hereby is authorized to appoint an additional truant officer.

Passed January 10, 1899.

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING MONEY TO COVER DEFICIENCIES IN THE SEVERAL DEPARTMENTS.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Concord, as follows:

That the sum of twenty-three hundred and fifty-seven and eighty-three one-hundredths dollars (\$2,357.83) be, and the same is hereby

appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay outstanding claims as follows:

Incidentals and land damages	\$850.00
Salaries	350.00
Fire Department	75.00
Public Library	100.00
White Park	15.00
Penacock Park	10.00
Bradley Park	10.00
Old North Cemetery	150.00
Liquor Agency	418.59
History Commission	379.24
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	\$2,357.83

Passed January 10. 1899.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

CONCORD, N. H.

Inaugurated fourth Tuesday in January, biennially.

1898-9

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR.

Elected biennially in November by the people. Salary, \$1,000 per annum.

ALBERT B. WOODWORTH.

Office: Aquilla Building.

ALDERMEN.

Elected biennially in November by voters of each ward. No salary as such, but an allowance for committee service.

Ward 1—CHARLES E. FOOTE.

CHARLES H. SANDERS.

Ward 2—GEORGE A. HOIT.

Ward 3—FRANK E. DIMOND.

Ward 4—HARRY R. HOOD.

JOHN G. McQUILKEN.

JOHN F. WEBSTER.

Ward 5—HENRY O. ADAMS.

JAMES H. ROWELL.

Ward 6—HOWARD A. KIMBALL.

ARTHUR F. STURTEVANT.

Ward 7—HENRY E. CONANT.

ALBERT S. TRASK.

Ward 8—WILLIAM A. LEE.

Ward 9—JAMES M. KILLEEN.

CITY CLERK.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary \$800 per annum.

JOSEPH A. COCHRAN.

Office: City Hall Building.

COMMON COUNCIL.

Elected biennially in November by voters of each ward. No Salary as such, but an allowance for committee service.

PRESIDENT—GEORGE W. BUNKER.

Ward 1—WILLIAM C. SPICER.

WILLIAM TAYLOR.

Ward 2—JOHN W. SANBORN.

Ward 3—RUSSELL P. SHEPARD.

Ward 4—FRED W. SCOTT.

FRANK H. SMITH.

EBEN M. WILLIS.

Ward 5—GEORGE W. BUNKER.

EDWARD E. LANE.

Ward 6—HENRY B. COLBY-

ETHAN N. SPENCER.

Ward 7—ALBERT P. DAVIS.

DAVID A. WELCH.

Ward 8—CHARLES L. NORRIS.

Ward 9—ALBERT GRANT.

CLERK OF COMMON COUNCIL.

Elected biennially in January by Common Council. Salary \$50 per annum.

HARVEY P. SANBORN.

Office: Sanborn's Block.

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

Aldermen appointed by Mayor, and Councilmen appointed by President of Common Council, biennially in January.

On Finance—The Mayor; Aldermen Webster and Sanders; Councilmen Spencer and Willis.

On Accounts and Claims.—Aldermen Hood and Adams; Councilmen Colby and Shepard.

On Lands and Buildings—Aldermen Adams and Trask; Councilmen Scott and Norris.

On Public Instruction—Aldermen Sanders and Conant; Councilmen Willis and Shepard.

On Parks and Commons—Aldermen Kimball and Killeen; Councilmen Davis and Smith.

On Roads and Bridges—Aldermen Rowell and Dimond; Councilmen Smith and Welch.

On Fire Department—Aldermen Sturtevant and Lee; Councilmen Scott and Spicer.

On Lighting Streets—Aldermen McQuilken and Kimball; Councilmen Lane and Grant.

On Cemeteries—Aldermen Webster and Kimball; Councilmen Taylor and Sanborn.

STANDING COMMITTEES IN BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN.

Appointed biennially by the Mayor.

On Elections and Returns—Aldermen Hood and Lee.

On Engrossed Ordinances—Aldermen Hoit and Webster.

On Bills, Second Reading—Aldermen Trask and Foote.

On Police and Licenses—Aldermen Killeen and McQuilken.

ON SEWERS AND DRAINS.

Elected biennially in January by board of Aldermen.

The Mayor; Aldermen Rowell, Dimond, Sanders, and Hoit.

ON STREETS AND SIDEWALKS.

Elected biennially in January by Board of Aldermen.

The Mayor; Aldermen, Conant, Foote, and Sturtevant.

STANDING COMMITTEES IN COMMON COUNCIL.

Appointed biennially in January by President of Common council.

On Elections and Returns—Councilmen Spencer and Taylor.

On Bills, Second Reading—Councilmen Colby and Lane.

On Engrossed Ordinances—Councilmen Spicer and Norris.

CITY TREASURER.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Bond to the acceptance of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Salary \$250 per annum.

WILLIAM F. THAYER.

Office: First National Bank.

CITY AUDITOR.

Appointed biennially by the Mayor with the approval of the Board of Aldermen. Salary \$1,000 per annum.

JAMES O. LYFORD.*

Office: City Hall Building.

CITY ENGINEER.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$1,500 per annum.

WILL B. HOWE.

Office: 17 Dutton's Block.

CITY MESSENGER.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary \$600 per annum.

EDWARD A. STEVENS.

COLLECTOR OF TAXES.

Elected annually in January by board of Mayor and Aldermen. Bond within six days to satisfaction of the board. Salary, five mills for each dollar of first \$60,000; seven and one half mills for each dollar over \$60,000.

WENDELL P. LADD.

Office: Smith's Block.

*Resigned. JOHN B. ABBOTT Appointed July 1, 1898.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS. BOARD OF EDUCATION.

UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT.

PRESIDENT, JOHN C. ORDWAY.
SECRETARY, MARY P. WOODWORTH.
MODERATOR, CHAS. C. DANFORTH.
CLERK, LOUIS C. MERRILL.
AUDITORS, JOSEPH C. A. HILL,
WM. YEATON.

Three elected annually in March by voters of Union School District.
Salary, \$250 per annum for the board.

HARRY P. DEWEY,	Term expires March, 1899.
MARY P. WOODWORTH,	" " " 1899.
ELIPHALET F. PHILBRICK,	" " " 1899.
JOHN C. ORDWAY,	" " " 1900.
SUSAN J. WOODWARD,	" " " 1900.
HENRY F. HOLLIS,	" " " 1900.
AMOS J. SHURTLEFF,	" " " 1901.
WILLIS D. THOMPSON,	" " " 1901.
HENRY C. BROWN,	" " " 1901.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Appointed annually in July by Board of Education. Salary \$1,800
per annum.

LOUIS J. RUNDLETT.

Office: High School Building, School Street.

PENACOOK—DISTRICT NO. 20.

One member of Board of Education elected annually in March by voters
of District Salary, \$27 per annum for the board.

HENRY ROLFE,	Term expires March, 1899.
IRA PHILLIPS,	" " " 1900.
A. L. PARKER,	" " " 1901.

TOWN DISTRICT.

Comprising all Districts in the city except Union School District and No. 20. Elected annually in March by voters of district. Salary, \$125 per annum for the board.

GEORGE T. ABBOTT,	Term expires March, 1899.
FALES P. VIRGIN,	“ “ “ 1900.
ALBERT SALTMARSH,	“ “ “ 1901.

TRUANT OFFICERS.

Appointed biennially in January by Board of Mayor and Aldermen
Salary as such, none.

JAMES E. RAND.
DANIEL S. FLANDERS.
FRED N. EATON.
JAMES KELLEY.
CHARLES E. KELLEY.
CHARLES W. HALL.
W. D. BARRETT.
JOHN E. GAY.
ELMER J. BROWN.
CHARLES H. ROWE.
THOMAS P. DAVIS.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.
TRUSTEES.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, none.

Ward 1—CHARLES H. SANDERS.
Ward 2—JOHN E. FRYE.
Ward 3—PAUL R. HOLDEN.
Ward 4—JOHN M. MITCHELL.

Ward 5—AMOS J. SHURTLEFF.

Ward 6—JAMES S. NORRIS.

Ward 7—WILLIAM W. FLINT.

Ward 8—EDSON J. HILL.

Ward 9—MOSES H. BRADLEY.

LIBRARIAN.

Elected annually by Trustees of Library. Salary, \$800 per annum.

GRACE BLANCHARD.

ASSISTANTS.

Salary, \$450 per annum.

CLARA F. BROWN.

ADAM M. COLBY.

WINNIE I. JAMES.

Fowler Library Building.

ASSESSORS.

Elected biennially by voters of each ward. Salary, \$3 per day of actual service.

Ward 1—OLIVER J. FIFIELD.

Ward 2—WILLIAM A. COWLEY.

Ward 3—JOSEPH E. SHEPARD.

Ward 4—DANIEL C. WOODMAN.

Ward 5—GEORGE F. UNDERHILL.

Ward 6—GEORGE S. DENNETT.

Ward 7—JONATHAN B. WEEKS.

Ward 8—JOHN J. LEE.

Ward 9—JAMES AHERN.

CITY WATER-WORKS.

WATER COMMISSIONERS.

Two appointed annually in March, for four years, by board of Mayor and Aldermen. Salary, none.

ALBERT B. WOODWORTH, MAYOR, *ex-officio*.

WILLIAM M. MASON,	Term expires March 31, 1899.
EDSON J. HILL,	" " " 1899.
JOHN WHITTAKER,	" " " 1900.
EBENEZER B. HUTCHINSON,	" " " 1900.
OLON A. CARTER,	" " " 1901.
FRANK D. ABBOT,	" " " 1901.
WILLIAM P. FISKE,	" " " 1902.
WILLIAM E. HOOD,	" " " 1902.

PRESIDENT—WILLIAM P. FISKE.

CLERK,—ARTHUR H. CHASE.

SUPERINTENDENT OF WATER-WORKS.

Elected annually in April by water commissioners. Salary \$1,800 per annum.

V. CHARLES HASTINGS.

Office; White's Block. Capitol Street.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

CHIEF ENGINEER.

Appointed by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Term Unlimited. Salary \$950 per annum and Rent of House.

WILLIAM C. GREEN.

ASSISTANT ENGINEERS.

Appointed by the board of Mayor and Aldermen. Term Unlimited.

FOR PRECINCT.

Salary, \$125 each per annum.

JOHN J. McNULTY.

WILLIAM E. DOW.

FOR PENACOOK.

Salary, \$25 per annum.

ABIAL W. ROLFE.

FOR EAST CONCORD.

Salary, \$10 per annum.

JOHN E. FRYE.

FOR WEST CONCORD.

Salary \$10 per annum.

GEORGE W. KEMP.

STEWARD FIRE STATION, PENACOOK.

Appointed by board of Mayor and Alderman.

LESLIE H. CROWTHER.

STEWARD FIRE STATION, EAST CONCORD.

CHAS. P. WHITE.

STEWARD FIRE STATION, WEST CONCORD.

PATRICK CONWAY.

SUPERINDENT OF CITY CLOCKS.

Appointed by board of Mayor and Aldermen. Salary, \$85 per annum.

JOHN P. PAIGE.

INSPECTOR OF ELECTRIC WIRES.

Elected annually on or before April 1. Salary, 40 cents per hour for actual service rendered, paid by the person or company owning the wires.

FRED W. LANDON.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE JUSTICE.

Appointed by Governor and Council. Salary, 800 per annum, fixed by City Council.

BENJAMIN E. BADGER.

Office, Police Station.

SPECIAL POLICE JUSTICE.

Appointed by Governor and Council. Salary, \$2 per day of actual service.

AMOS J. SHURTLEFF.

CITY SOLICITOR.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$500 per annum.

HARRY G. SARGENT.

Office, 60 North Main Street.

CLERK OF POLICE COURT.

Appointed by Police Justice. Salary, \$200 per annum, fixed by the Legislature.

HARRY R. HOOD.

CITY MARSHALL.

Appointed by the Police Commissioners. Term unlimited. Bond of \$1,000 required. Salary, \$1,200 per annum.

GEORGE S. LOCKE.

Office: Police Station.

ASSISTANT CITY MARSHALL.

Appointed by Police Commissioners. Term unlimited. Salary, \$900 per annum.

JAMES E. RAND.

REGULAR POLICE AND NIGHTWATCH.

Appointed by Police Commissioners. Salary, \$800 each per annum.

DANIEL S. FLANDERS, Captain of Night Watch.

Fred M. Eaton,

Whitney D. Barrett,

James Kelley,

John E. Gay,

Charles W. Hall,

John G. Putnam,

Charles H. Rowe,

Samuel L. Batchelder,

SPECIAL RESERVE OFFICERS.

GEO. H. SILSBY, Captain and Drill Master.

John T. Batchelder,

Wm. H. H. Patch,

W. A. Little,

W. A. Flanders,

O. H. Bean,

Hoyt Robinson,

Irving B. Robinson,

Geo. W. Chesley,

Alvin H. Urann,

Geo. D. Worth,

Wm. R. Green,

Thomas P. Davis,

Abiel C. Abbott,

Harvey H. Oakes,

Geo. N. Fellows,

Charles E. Kelley.

SPECIAL POLICE OFFICERS.

Appointed by Police Commissioners. Salary, \$2 each per day for actual service.

Robert Crowther,
Eli Hanson.
Clark D. Stevens,
Moody S. Farnun,
Almah C. Leavitt,
Oscar F. Richardson,
Orlando I. Godfrey,
Richard P. Sanborn,
Edward H. Dixon,
William J. Ahern,
George W. Waters,
Henry A. Rowell.
Joseph C. Eaton,
Napoleon B. Burleigh,
Edward H. Haskell,
John H. Carr,
Edward M. Nason,
James M. Jones,
Albert F. Smith,
Charles H. Dudley,
George E. Davis,
Charles M. Norris,
John J. Crowley,

Alphonso Vene,
Robert Hill,
John T. Kimball,
James F. Ward,
Horace Plummer,
Charles E. Palmer,
Henry C. Mace,
Justus O. Clark,
Charles H. Richardson,
Ira C. Phillips,
Lewis C. Stevenson,
W. H. Meserve,
Moses T. Rowell,
Charlie C. Plumer,
Edward C. Hussey,
Horace B. Annis,
John Knowlton,
Rufus C. Boynton,
Milton Colby,
Ashbury F. Tandy,
Henry J. Durrell,
Patrick McGuire,

STREET DEPARTMENT.**COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS.**

Elected annually in January by City Council. Bond \$3,000. Salary, \$1,400 per annum.

ALFRED CLARK.

Office : 4 Dutton's Block, North Main Street.

LICENSED DRAIN-LAYERS.

Appointed annually in January by board of Mayor and Aldermen.
No salary.

Lyman R. Fellows,
Leonard W. Bean,
William Rowell,
Simeon Partridge,
J. Henry Sanborn,
Zeb F. Swain,
George S. Milton,
Clarence W. Williams.
O. H. T. Richardson,
Michael J. Lee,
Daniel Mandigo,
Edward H. Randall,
Michael C. Casey,
Timothy Kenna,
James Cassidy,
B. Frank Varney,
Alvah C. Ferrin,

Isaac Baty,
W. Arthur Bean,
Henry H. Morrill,
Fred L. Plummer,
Miles F. Farmer,
Charles L. Norris,
Charles L. Fellows,
Thomas Matthews
D. Warren Fox,
Daniel Haslam,
Michael Bateman,
William A. Lee,
Richard J. Lee,
Francis W. Presby,
Patrick A. Clifford,
Seth R. Hood,
Rufus E. Gale.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

Elected biennially in January by Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

Ward 1—CHARLES E. FOOTE, Penacook.

Salary, \$30 per annum.

Ward 2—GEORGE A. HOIT, East Concord.

Salary, \$10 per annum.

Wards 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9—JOSEPH A. COCHRAN,
City Hall.

Salary, \$200 per annum.

CITY PHYSICIAN.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$1 for each visit to city poor.

DR. CHANCEY ADAMS.

Office: 15 South State Street.

ASSISTANT CITY PHYSICIAN.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$1 for each visit to city poor.

DR. HENRY C. HOLBROOK.

Office: Penacook.

HEALTH OFFICERS.

One elected annually in March, for three years, by City Council. Salary \$25 per annum.

EDGAR A. CLARK, M. D.,	Term expires March, 1899.
DENNIS E. SULLIVAN, M. D.,	“ “ 1900.
EDWARD N. PEARSON,	“ “ 1901.

SANITARY OFFICER.

Nominated by Board of Health in April and confirmed by the City Council. Salary, \$800 per annum.

CHARLES E. PALMER.

Office: 8 Dutton's Block, North Main Street.

REGISTRAR OF VITAL STATISTICS.

The City Clerk is made Registrar by General Laws. Fees, 15 cents for each birth, marriage, and death received, recorded and returned to the State Registrar.

JOSEPH A. COCHRAN.

Office: City Hall.

CITY LIQUOR AGENT.

Appointed annually in January by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen.
Salary, \$600 per annum.

MOSES LADD.

Office: 168 North Main Street.

PARK COMMISSIONERS.

Two appointed annually in January, for three years, by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. No salary.

WILLIAM P. FISKE,	Term expires January, 1899.
GEORGE A. YOUNG,	“ “ 1899.
BEN C. WHITE,	“ “ 1900.
WILLIS G. C. KIMBALL,	“ “ 1900.
WILLIS D. THOMPSON,	“ “ 1901.
GARDNER B. EMMONS,	“ “ 1901.

CEMETERY COMMITTEES.

One from each ward (except Wards 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, and part of Ward 7, consolidated) elected annually in January, for three years, by City Council. Salary, none.

WARD 1.

JOHN A. COBURN,	Term expires January 1899.
D. WARREN FOX,	“ “ 1900.
JOHN WHITTAKER,	“ “ 1901.

WARD 2.

JOSEPH E. PLUMER,	Term expires January 1899.
SCOTT FRENCH,	“ “ 1900.
CYRUS R. ROBINSON,	“ “ 1901.

WARD 3.

GEORGE R. PARMENTER,	Term expires January, 1899.
JOHN E. GAY,	“ “ 1900.
JAMES M. CROSSMAN,	“ “ 1901.

WARD 7.

FRANK G. PROCTOR,	Term expires January, 1899.
ISAAC N. ABBOTT,	“ “ 1900.
ALFRED CLARK,	“ “ 1901.

COMMISSIONERS OF CEMETERIES.

FOR WARDS 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, AND PART OF WARD 7.

Two members appointed annually in March, for three years, by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Salary, none.

CHARLES S. PARKER,	Term expires January, 1899.
OBADIAH MORRILL,	“ “ 1899.
GEORGE A. FOSTER,	“ “ 1900.
GEORGE O. DICKERMAN,	“ “ 1900.
JOHN E. ROBERTSON,	“ “ 1901.
FRANK P. ANDREWS,	“ “ 1901.

UNDERTAKERS.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, none.

FOR OLD NORTH AND BLOSSOM HILL CEMETERIES.

HAMILTON A. KENDALL,
 GEORGE W. WATERS,
 FRANK A. DAME,
 AUSTIN W. JONES,
 LOUIS A. LANE,
 OLIVER M. SHEPLEE,

FOR WOODLAWN CEMETERY, PENACOOK.

J. FRANK HASTINGS,
 OLIVER J. FIFIELD.

FOR EAST CONCORD CEMETERY.

JOSEPH E. PLUMER.

FOR WEST CONCORD CEMETERY.

ALVIN C. POWELL.

CITY OF CONCORD.

FOR MILLVILLE CEMETERY.

WILLIAM H. CURRIER.

FOR SOUCOOK CEMETERY.

GEORGE G. JENNESS.

INSPECTOR OF PETROLEUM.

Appointed annually in January by Board of Mayor and Aldermen.
Fees, one fourth cent per gallon for inspection, paid by owner of oil.

GEORGE H. ROLFE.

FENCE-VIEWERS

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, \$2 each per day
paid by parties interested.

GEORGE W. CHESLEY,
CHARLES P. ROWELL,
MOSES H. BRADLEY.

FISH AND GAME WARDENS.

Elected annually in January by City Council. No fees.

J. IRVING HOYT.
FALES P. VIRGIN.
JOHN H. SEAVEY.
DANIEL B. NEWHALL.
HARLEY B. ROBY.
CHARLES B. CLARKE.
FRANK BATTLES.
WILLIAM ROBY.
JOSEPH A. MOORE.
LOREN S. RICHARDSON.
FRANK S. MOULTON.
FRANK L. WORTHEN.
HENRY MCGIBNEY.

HARRISON A. ROBY.
CHARLES TRENOWETH.
FRANK G. MASON.

FOUND KEEPER.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, two cents each for impounding sheep, and five cents each for all other creatures, paid by owners.

GEORGE PARTRIDGE.

SEALERS OF LEATHER.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, reasonable price, paid by person employing.

JOHN C. THORNE.
CYRUS R. ROBINSON.
DAVID E. EVERETT.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, for sealing each scale beam, steelyard, or scale, 25 cents, and for each measure, 10 cents; five or more to one person, half price—paid by owners of scales or measures.

E. M. COGSWELL.

Office; City Hall.

CULLER OF STAVES.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Fees, bbl. staves, 28 cents; hhd. staves, 34 cents; pipe staves, 40 cents; butt staves, 45 cents; hoops, 50 cents; heading, 33 cents per M—paid by party for whom culling is done.

GEORGE F. HAYWARD.

WEIGHERS OF HAY, COAL, ETC.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, reasonable price per load; paid by party requiring service.

Orin T. Carter,	George B. Whittredge,
Arthur G. Stevens,	Charles T. Page,
D. Arthur Brown,	William F. Carr,
John N. Hill,	Frank E. Gale,
Hiram O. Marsh,	Frederick H. Savory,
Thomas Hill,	Evarts McQuesten,
John H. Mercer,	Oscar E. Smith,
A. H. Campbell,	Amos Blanchard,
O. F. Richardson,	Mark M. Blanchard,
Charles H. Day,	Lurman R. Goodrich,
Edward M. Proctor,	James H. Harrington,
Alvah L. Powell	Simeon Partridge,
Seth R. Dole,	Daniel Crowley, Jr.,
Arthur N. Day,	Fred A. Crocker,
Lyman B. Foster,	Alfred Beddow,
William H. Meserve,	Charles H. Cook,

SURVEYORS OF PAINTING.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, reasonable price paid by party employing.

Giles Wheeler,	Benjamin Biltsborough,
Edward A. Moulton,	Alvin H. Urann,
George Abbott, Jr.,	Fred Rollins,
Charles E. Savory,	

SURVEYOR OF MASONRY.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, reasonable price, paid by party employing.

Giles Wheeler,	Leonard W. Bean,
Peter W. Webster,	O. H. T. Richardson,
William H. Kenney,	Moses B. Smith,

Lyman R. Fellows,
Fred L. Plummer,
Charles L. Fellows,

James E. Randlett,
William Rowell,

SURVEYORS OF STONE.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, reasonable, price paid by party employing.

Giles Wheeler,

George F. Sanborn.

SURVEYORS OF WOOD, LUMBER AND BARK.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Fees, for surveying shingles and clapboard, 4 cents per M; boards and timber, 16 cents per M; measuring cord wood, 4 cents per cord or load, or 40 cents per hour for over twenty cords—paid by person employing.

Arthur G. Stevens,
John Ballard,
James F. Nelson,
Jonathan B. Weeks,
Charles Couch,
Wallace M. Howe,
Daniel K. Richardson,
John H. Rolfe,
William Ballard,
John T. Batchelder,
Thomas D. Avery,
Timothy Carter,
Weston Cofran,
Augustine C. Carter,
John A. Blackwood,
Walter W. Cochran,
Philip Flanders,
Gilbert H. Seavey,
Cyrus Runnells,
David E. Everett,
Silvester P. Danforth,

George Partridge,
Oliver J. Fifield,
Fales P. Virgin,
Charles H. Day,
Hiram O. Marsh,
Edward Runnels,
Lowell Eastman,
Andrew S. Farnum,
John C. Linehan,
Curtis White,
John N. Hill,
Abner C. Holt,
Levi M. Shannon,
Charles M. Brown,
Joseph E. Hutchinson,
Thomas Hill,
Charles T. Page,
Fred A. Eastman,
Fred G. Chandler,
John Potter,
George C. Morgan,

Charles W. Hardy,	Edward H. Dixon,
Alfred Clark,	Henry Rolfe,
John F. Scott,	Horace F. Paul,
John Whitaker,	Eugene H. Davis,
J. Frank Hastings,	William F. Hoyt,
Edgar D. Eastman,	Albert Saltmarsh,
Peter W. Webster,	Justus O. Clark,
George W. Abbott,	William Badger,
Arthur N. Day,	Silas Wiggin,
Edward M. Proctor,	Frank L. Sawyer,
Alvertus Evans,	Edward Stevens,
John C. Farrand,	Edward L. Davis,
Fred W. Scott,	Nathaniel P. Richardson,

WARD OFFICERS.

SELECTMEN.

<i>Ward 1</i> —	HORACE D. BEAN.
	JOHN M. MESERVE.
	WALTER H. ROLFE.
<i>Ward 2</i> —	RUFUS C. BOYNTON.
	ALBERT J. MORRILL.
	JOSEPH WELCOME.
<i>Ward 3</i> —	JUSTIN O. CLARK.
	A. C. POWELL.
	ALBERT W. HOBBS.
<i>Ward 4</i> —	ROY E. GEORGE.
	J. WESLEY PLUMMER.
	GEORGE F. SMITH.
<i>Ward 5</i> —	JAMES E. SEWALL.
	CHARLES E. SMITH.
	CURTIS WHITE.
<i>Ward 6</i> —	HARLAN A. FLANDERS,
	J. EDWARD MORRISON.
	CHARLES H. CARROLL.

- Ward 7*—ARTHUR E. MAXAM.
FRANK C. PENDERGAST.
ALFRED H. WALKER.
- Ward 8*—ARTHUR COLTON.
ALMAH C. LEAVITT.
WILLIAM E. STANDISH.
- Ward 9*—FRED C. COATES.
JOHN OPIE.
JAMES McGUIRE.
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SUPERVISORS OF CHECK LISTS.

- Ward 1*—WILLIAM H. MESSERVE.
EDWIN B. PRESCOTT.
HORACE B. SHERBURNE.
- Ward 2*—JAMES C. CARLETON.
GEORGE McC. SANBORN.
FRANK V. OSGOOD.
- Ward 3*—TIMOTHY GREEN.
CHARLES H. QUINN.
FRED F. TUCKER.
- Ward 4*—EDWARD H. DIXON.
JOHN B. ABBOTT.
EVERETT H. RUNNELS.
- Ward 5*—WILLIAM M. MASON.
ROBERT H. ROLFE,
JOSEPH P. SARGENT.
- Ward 6*—LYSANDER H. CARROLL.
FRANK CRESSY.
WILLIAM H. KING.
- Ward 7*—JAMES F. KELLEY.
DANA G. PRESCOTT.
FORREST L. WELLMAN.
- Ward 8*—GEORGE G. JENNESS.
FREDERICK J. SEXTON.
ALBION B. STEARNS.

Ward 9—CHARLES J. FRENCH.
MICHAEL G. GANNON.
FRED J. SANBORN.

WARD CLERKS

Ward 1—LESLIE H. CROWTHER.
Ward 2—SAMUEL L. FRENCH.
Ward 3—THOMAS E. PENTLAND.
Ward 4—HARVEY P. SANBORN.
Ward 5—GEORGE E. CHESLEY.
Ward 6—HOWARD M. COOK.*
Ward 7—GEORGE B. WHITTREIDGE.
Ward 8—MEDARD M. ISABEL.
Ward 9—DAVID SULLIVAN.

*Resigned ARTHUR H. BRITTON elected.

MODERATORS

Ward 1—SAMUEL N. BROWN.
Ward 2—CHARLES H. SANBORN.
Ward 3—DANIEL W. WILCOX.
Ward 4—BENJAMIN E. BADGER.
Ward 5—CHARLES C. DANFORTH.
Ward 6—DANIEL E. HOWARD.
Ward 7—GEORGE D. B. PRESCOTT.
Ward 8—JAMES T. GORDON.
Ward 9—FRED N. MARDEN.

MAYORS OF THE CITY OF CONCORD.

The original charter of the city was adopted by the inhabitants March 10, 1853, and until 1880 the Mayor was elected annually. Since 1880 the Mayor has been elected for two years at each biennial election in November.

HON. JOSEPH LOW	1853-'54.
" RUFUS CLEMENT *	——-'55.
" JOHN ABBOTT	1856-'57-'58.
" MOSES T. WILLARD	1859-'60.
" MOSES HUMPHREY	1861-'62.
" BENJAMIN F. GALE	1863-'64.
" MOSES HUMPHREY	——-'65.
" JOHN ABBOTT	1866-'67.
" LYMAN D. STEVENS	1868-'69.
" ABRAHAM G. JONES	1870-'71.
" JOHN KIMBALL	1872-'73-'74-'75.
" GEORGE A. PILLSBURY	1876-'77.
" HORACE A. BROWN †	1878-'79-'80.
" GEORGE A. CUMMINGS ‡	1880-'81-'82.
" EDGAR H. WOODMAN	1883-'84-'85-'86.
" JOHN E. ROBERTSON	1887-'88.
" STILLMAN HUMPHREY	1889-'90.
" HENRY W. CLAPP	1891-'92.
" PARSONS B. COGSWELL	1893-'94.
" HENRY ROBINSON	1895-'96.
" ALBERT B. WOODWORTH	1897-'98.

* Died in office January 13, 1856.

† Term closed in November, 1880.

‡ Term commenced November, 1880.

CITY PROPERTY.

HAVING VALUE BUT NOT CONSIDERED AVAILABLE ASSETS. .

The following is an abstract of the inventory of the property of the city made by the city auditor and the heads of the various departments.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Central Fire Station.

Building and lot	.	.	.	\$35,000.00
Miscellaneous property in main building				1,198.50
"	"	basement	.	124.75
"	"	shed	.	536.50
"	"	shop	.	75.60
"	"	stable	.	162.50
Ten horses	.	.	.	1,500.00
New iron bedsteads, increase	.	.	.	40.00
				<hr/> \$38,597.85

Kearsarge Steamer Company.

1 steam fire engine	.	.	.	\$3,000.00
Miscellaneous property	.	.	.	646.60
				<hr/> \$3,646.60

Eagle Steamer Company.

1 steam fire engine	.	.	.	\$3,800.00
Miscellaneous property	.	.	.	618.50
				<hr/> \$4,418.50

Governor Hill Steamer Company.

1 steam fire engine	.	.	.	\$3,000.00
Miscellaneous property	.	.	.	35.90
				<hr/> \$3,035.90

Hook and Ladder Company.

1 ladder truck	\$400.00	
Ladders and miscellaneous property	727.25	
	<hr/>	\$1,127.25

Chemical Engine Company.

1 chemical engine	\$1,550.00	
Miscellaneous property	136.75	
	<hr/>	\$1,686.75

Good Will Hose Company.

Building	\$6,500.00	
1 hose wagon	300.00	
1 horse	150.00	
Miscellaneous property	321.90	
	<hr/>	\$7,271.90

Alert Hose Company.

Building	\$3,200.00	
1 hose wagon	300.00	
1 horse	150.00	
Miscellaneous property	379.25	
	<hr/>	\$4,029.25

Pioneer Steamer Company.

Building and lot	\$7,500.00	
New hose house	100.00	
Heating apparatus	400.00	
1 steam fire engine	2,000.00	
1 hose wagon	100.00	
Sampson wagon jack	5.75	
3 pony extinguishers	50.00	
Miscellaneous property	131.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,286.75

Old Fort Engine Company.

Building and lot	\$3,000.00	
1 Hunneman hand-engine	200.00	
3 pony extinguishers	75.00	
Miscellaneous property	111.75	
	<hr/>	\$3,386.75

CITY OF CONCORD.

Cataract Engine Company.

Building and lot	\$8,500.00
1 Hunneman hand engine	200.00
1 hose reel	50.00
Heating apparatus	100.00
Miscellaneous property	117.75
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	\$8,967.75

\$86,445.25

Fire-alarm apparatus	\$9,250.00
Fabric hose, 11,400 feet; leather hose, 450 feet good, 550 feet poor	6,000.00
Residence chief engineer	3,000.00
Heating apparatus	100.00
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	\$18,350.00

Pioneer Engine House.

Ward room and hall furniture	70.50
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Old Fort Engine House.

Furniture	69.00
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Cataract Engine House.

Furniture	71.25
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\$105,016.00

STREET DEPARTMENT,

Central District.

1 steam roller	\$2000
9 sprinklers and fixtures	2000
1 portable crusher plant	1200
1 stationary crusher plant	800
8 horses	600
1 sand house	50
3 sets double harness	75
2 single harness	15
1 tip cart harness	10

CITY PROPERTY.

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4 two horse carts	300
1 one horse cart	25
1 stake wagon	50
1 stone wagon	50
3 two horse sleds	200
1 two horse dump sled	40
1 one horse sled	15
2 snow rollers	150
2 stone rollers	100
2 road machines	100
4 wing snow plows	100
7 common snow plows	25
1 street sweeper	100
2 hand carts	40
1 boom derrick	80
1 garbage furnace	300
Lumber	150
Curbstone	80
Miscellaneous Property	260
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	\$8,925

West Concord District.

Miscellaneous property	\$18.00	
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Penacook District.

Miscellaneous property	\$22 00	
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 \$8,965.00

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Police station	\$25,000.00
1 horse	100.00
1 harness	15.00
1 two-seated wagon	75.00
1 pung sleigh	15.00
1 ambulance	100.00
1 safe	50.00

2 robes	10.00
1 roll-top desk	20.00
1 roll-top desk	12.00
Blankets	4.00
Desk and chair at Penacook	15.00
6 tables	20.00
11 settees	41.00
37 chairs	25.00
2 clocks	12.00
70 police badges	70.00
16 policemen's coats	100.00
28 belts	10.00
28 night clubs	28.00
14 short clubs	14.00
11 Colt's revolvers	100.00
15 pairs handcuffs	60.00
54 helmets	10.00
Miscellaneous property	10.00
	<hr/> \$25,916.00

Engineering Dept.

1 Buff and Berger transit	\$150.00
1 Buff and Berger level	50.00
1 Planimeter	25.00
1 case drawing instruments	12.00
1 12 foot drawing table	75.00
1 7 foot drawing table	20.00
1 blue print frame	30.00
1 typewriter and table	50.00
1 safe	50.00
1 desk	25.00
T squares, triangles and miscellaneous property	100.00
	<hr/> \$587.00

Sewer Department.

1 Lidgerwood double drum hoisting engine	\$500.00
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CITY PROPERTY.

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1 engine house	40.00
4 dozen Sewer braces	60.00
2 No. 3 Edson pumps	40.00
500 ft. hose for flushing	150.00
4 dozen picks	20.00
2 dozen shovels	10.00
Pipe and slants	25.00
Miscellaneous property	75.00
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	\$920.00

WEST CONCORD SEWERAGE PRECINCT.

2 tool boxes	\$15.00
21 lanterns	2.50
1 set steel blocks	5.00
1 derrick tripod	3.00
1 Edson pump, No. 3	15.00
20 ft. suction hose	15.00
3 pails	.50
1 paver's maul	1.00
1 3 gallon oil can	.25
3 steel bars	1.50
2 tampers, iron shod	1.00
2 wooden mauls	.50
2 striking hammers	1.00
1 axe	.25
1 monkey wrench	1.00
1 dozen poor shovels	2.50
1 dozen picks	5.00
1 dozen drills	2.00
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	\$62.00

FURNITURE STORED AT CITY HALL.

1 coal stove and pipe	\$5.00
4 office chairs	4.00
Miscellaneous property	1.00
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	\$10.00

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.

1 roll top desk	\$25.00
1 office desk	20.00
1 clock	12.00
1 walnut book case	15.00
1 pine book case	10.00
1 map of Concord	5.00
1 carpet	10.00
1 desk	7.00
3 chairs	3.00
135 copies old town records	332.50
Miscellaneous property	21.00
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	\$460.50

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Pest house and lot	\$500.00
Office furniture	40.00
Pest house furniture	25.00
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	\$565.00

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

1 oak roll top desk	\$20.00
1 carpet	40.00
1 oak revolving table	3.00
6 chairs	9.00
1 mirror	2.00
1 small oak table	1.00
Miscellaneous property	2.00
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	\$77.00

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES OFFICE.

Wiegths, measures, balances, etc.	\$225.00
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CITY LIQUOR AGENCY.

Stove and pipe	\$15.00
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CITY PROPERTY.

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Chairs and lounge	11.00	
1 office table	1.00	
6 brass locks and keys	6.00	
Miscellaneous property	13.60	
	<hr/>	\$46 60

CITY MESSENGER'S DEPARTMENT.

City Council Rooms.

3 office desks	\$30.00	
1 library table	5.00	
29 members desks, at \$7.50	217.50	
35 rotary chairs	175.00	
1 cottage stove and pipe	5.00	
2 carpets	30.00	
Miscellaneous property	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$472.50

CITY HALL.

42 nine-foot folding settees	\$125.00	
20 seven-foot folding settees	60.00	
10 common chairs	5.00	
1 No 36 Monitor stove and pipe	5.00	
8 board tables	2.00	
Heating and lighting fixtures in city hall building	250.00	
Miscellaneous property	12.50	
	<hr/>	\$459.50

CITY AUDITOR'S OFFICE.

1 desk	\$25.00	
1 filing case	13.00	
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PROPERTY IN AND ABOUT CITY HALL.

1 eight-foot step ladder	\$0 50	
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CITY OF CONCORD.

25 feet rubber hose	1.50
8 lawn settees	8.00
1 lawn mower, 18 inch	5.00
1 pair hedge shears	.50
1 Stillson wrench	.75
1 lantern	.25
1 wheelbarrow	2.75
Mi-cellaneous property	4 00
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	\$23.25

OLD POLICE COURT ROOM.

1 table	\$1.50
10 common chairs	2.00
1 No. 30 Monitor stove and pipe	5.00
1 old desk	1.00
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	\$9.50

TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE.

1 safe	150.00
5 curtains	7.50
1 desk chair	4.50
3 cane-seat arm chairs	3.75
1 ash office table	3.50
1 money drawer	2.00
Miscellaneous property	9.20
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	\$180.45

PARK COMMISSIONERS' DEPARTMENT.

Property at White Park.

1 dump cart	\$25.00
1 hand cart	6.00
40 settees	50.00
3 large snow shovels	8.00
2 iron rollers	10.00
2 gravel screens	5.00

225 feet garden hose	6.00
2 wheelbarrows	4.00
4 lawn mowers	10.00
1 lawn mower horse	50.00
1 scraper for ice	10.00
1 set horse boots	7.00
3 lawn sprinklers	4.50
Lot of tree stakes	5.00
Barb wire	3.00
2 Stillson wrenches	2.00
1 monkey wrench	.25
1 small basket	.25
3 large baskets	.75
4 water pails	.75
1 spirit level	.25
2 ladders	1.00
1 step ladder	.50
1 rat trap	.50
1 pan	.35
3 barrel covers	.75
2 augers	1.00
Nails, spikes, etc.	.75
Sledge and wedges	1.00
1 wire stretcher	.25
1 wire pliers	.25
3 water kegs	.75
1 pole pruning shears	.25
6 shovels	1.50
5 iron rakes	1.00
4 wood rakes	.50
4 picks	1.00
3 Grub axes	1.00
4 hoes	.75
3 edging knives	.50
1 bill hook	.25
2 axes	.50
1 cant lever	.25
1 sheep shears	.25

1 tape measure . . . . .	.25	
2 water pots . . . . .	.50	
1 grindstone	1.00	
2 iron bars	1.00	
5 snow shovels . . . . .	.75	
4 drills, hammer and plugs . . . . .	.75	
2 hatchets . . . . .	.25	
1 steel square . . . . .	.25	
2 cross cut saws	1.00	
3 small saws . . . . .	.50	
1 clipping shears . . . . .	.50	
1 edging shears	2.00	
1 cart hames	3.00	
1 hames and tracer	2.00	
	<hr/>	\$231.54
Books in public library		\$9,000.00

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS' DEPARTMENT.

Miscellaneous articles at Blossom Hill Cemetery.	\$338.50	
Furniture in commissioners' office	18.00	
	<hr/>	\$356.50

CITY HISTORY COMMISSION.

1 typewriter and table	\$100.00	
1 Bouton's History	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$110.10

REAL ESTATE.

REAL ESTATE BELONGING TO THE CITY NOT INCLUDED IN ANY OF THE FOREGOING INVENTORIES.

City hall lot and half of building	\$25,000.00
City farm pasture and quarries	3,000.00
City storehouse	4,500.00

Gravel banks, East Concord	100.00
Ward house, West street	4,500.00
Play-ground on intervalle	1,500.00
White Park	12,000.00
Rollins Park	6,000.00
Penacook Park	2,500.00
Market-place on Warren street	10,000.00
	<hr/> \$69,100.00

INVENTORY

OF THE PROPERTY OF THE WATER DEPARTMENT, INCLUDING THE
PLANT AND WATER RIGHTS AND ALL THE REAL ESTATE AND
PERSONAL PROPERTY IN THEIR POSSESSION, JANUARY 1, 1899.

WATER RIGHTS AND PLANT.

Water rights from B. F. & D. Holden	\$60,000.00
Water rights from Concord Manufactur- ing Company	83,000.00
Flowage rights around Penacook Lake	4,375.61
Dam, gate house and appurtenances	30,756.17
Conduit and gate house	29,484.05
Main pipes	154,960.92
Distribution pipes	279,247.68
Service pipes	40,789.95
Reservoir and site	45,044.09
Pumping station, shop, stable, storehouse and site	27,000.00
Pumping machinery	9,500.00
Water and flowage rights in Long Pond, Webster	5,000.00
Mill privilege and land of W. P. Cool- edge, West Concord, about 15 acres	5,500.00
Kit shop privilege from Humphrey & Farnum, West Concord, about 2 acres	5,000.00
Hutchins house and lot, West Concord, from W. P. Cooledge, about 6 acres	2,250.00
Land in West Concord, from Mary C. Rowell, 18 acres	1,500.00
Land in West Concord, from Alfred Roberts, 25 1-2 acres	1,275.00

CITY PROPERTY.

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Land in West Concord, from O. F. Richardson	100.00	
Land in West Concord, from Mary G. Carter, 10 acres	1,250.00	
Land in West Concord, from Charles E. Ballard, 6 acres	500.00	
Land in West Concord, from Charles E. Ballard, 15 acres	1,200.00	
Land in West Concord, from Coffin & Little, 17 1-2 acres	800.00	
Land in West Concord, which includes the Martin place, the Swan place, and a portion of the Carlton place, about 110 1-4 acres	6,364.50	
Land at south end of Penacook Lake, from Robert Crowley, about 10 acres	3,000.00	
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		\$797,897.97

Water Office, 11 Capitol Street.

2 roller-top desks	\$70.00	
1 counter and fixtures	50.00	
1 typewriter and desk	50.00	
1 Howard eight-day clock	25.00	
1 safe	350.00	
1 record card case	30.00	
Miscellaneous property	125.00	
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		\$700.00

Water Commissioner's Room.

1 long table	\$10.00	
10 chairs	7.50	
1 carpet	3.00	
1 case of water reports	3.00	
Miscellaneous property95	
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		\$24.45

Pumping Station.

1 roller top desk	\$15.00
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1 eight-day clock	10.00	
9 chairs	9.00	
1 recording gauge	10.00	
1 platform scales	50.00	
Miscellaneous property, including stock, supplies, etc.	375.00	
	<hr/>	\$469.00

Shop at Pumping Station.

Miscellaneous property, including fittings, pipe, tools, brass goods, etc	\$600.00
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Stable and Basement at Pumping Station.

2 horses	\$100.00	
2 express wagons	100.00	
1 road wagon	120.00	
1 heavy sleigh	60.00	
1 pung sleigh	15.00	
3 harnesses	20.00	
Miscellaneous property, including supplies	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$515.00

Storehouse.

Miscellaneous property, including hydrants, water gates, curves, branches, etc.	\$400 00
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Pipe Yard.

Cast-iron pipe and supplies	2,600.00
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Shop at Penacook.

Miscellaneous property, including pipe, etc.	\$80.00
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Shop at West Concord.

Miscellaneous property, including pipe, etc.	\$40.00
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RECAPITULATION OF WATER DEPARTMENT.

Plant and real estate . . .	\$797,897.97	
Water office . . .	700.00	
Water commissioner's room . . .	24.45	
Pumping station . . .	469.00	
Shop at pumping station . . .	600.00	
Stable and basement . . .	515.00	
Storehouse . . .	400.00	
Pipe yard . . .	2,600.00	
Shop at Penacook . . .	80.00	
Shop at West Concord . . .	40.00	
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		\$803,326.42

GENERAL RECAPITULATION.

Fire department . . .	\$105,016.00	
Street department . . .	8,945.00	
Police department . . .	25,916.00	
Engineering department . . .	587.00	
Sewer department . . .	920.00	
West Concord sewer . . .	62.00	
City messenger department . . .	472.50	
City auditor's office . . .	38.00	
City hall . . .	459.50	
City clerk's office . . .	400.50	
Health department . . .	555.00	
Mayors office . . .	77.00	
Dealer of weights and measures . . .	225.00	
City liquor agency . . .	46.60	
Tax collector's office . . .	180.45	
Park commissioners . . .	231.54	
Cemetery commissioners . . .	356.50	
City history commission . . .	110.00	
Books in public library . . .	9,000.00	
Real estate . . .	69,100.00	
Water department . . .	803,326.42	
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		\$1,026,095.01

1898.

Population of the City (Census 1890)	17,004
Valuation of the City	\$11,148,659.00
Tax assessed for the year	\$221,081.21
Rate of taxation, \$14.30 per \$1,000.	
Rate for Union School District, \$3.30 additional per \$1,000.	
Rate for Precinct, \$2.40 additional per \$1,000.	
Total rate, \$20 per \$1,000.	

POLLS, VALUATION AND TAXES ASSESSED.

The number of polls and the tax assessed on the real and personal estate in the city of Concord since 1860 :

Year.	Polls.	Valuation.	Tax.
1860	2,577	\$4,307,192	\$47,082.25
1861	2,497	4,423,936	46,290.48
1862	2,350	4,308,568	50,945.01
1863	2,454	3,775,206	60,293.82
1864	2,589	3,832,800	89,931.97
1865	2,495	5,549,002	158,787.29
1866	2,762	4,934,082	116,192.97
1867	2,822	5,006,774	145,173.49
1868	3,120	5,378,365	126,889.71
1869	3,205	5,581,459	146,791.64
1870	3,187	5,751,928	133,953.94
1871	3,338	5,891,993	137,844.70
1872	3,767	5,917,054	141,122.97
1873	3,613	9,012,650	158,281.13
1874	3,784	9,000,526	171,045.61
1875	3,941	9,216,195	175,234.68
1876	3,911	9,222,625	163,768.29
1877	4,015	9,405,117	177,040.27
1878	3,860	9,241,485	162,038.53
1879	3,536	10,604,465	155,964.99
1880	3,672	10,150,585	172,831.12
1881	3,505	10,062,894	153,285.55
1882	3,661	10,308,052	151,941.54
1883	3,816	10,023,216	169,498.95
1884	3,734	9,877,874	148,290.26
1885	3,821	9,774,714	153,613.92
1886	3,773	9,703,458	158,994.83
1887	3,938	9,852,337	151,292.66
1888	3,959	9,984,120	165,090.57
1889	4,090	10,048,556	184,963.08
1890	4,190	10,243,857	176,081.04
1891	4,498	10,923,081	206,379.26
1892	4,288	10,786,498	191,733.45
1893	4,380	10,890,960	204,585.27
1894	4,385	11,189,294	222,110.35
1895	4,838	11,566,083	217,399.83
1896	4,663	11,228,515	202,254.99

CITY OF CONCORD.

1897.	Polls.	Valuation.	Tax.
Ward 1,	457	\$811,544	\$17,449.47
" 2,	206	308,050	5,612.44
" 3,	279	397,376	8,533.47
" 4,	973	2,451,366	51,647.35
" 5,	649	3,113,730	64,969.62
" 6,	812	2,080,000	44,025.09
" 7,	628	877,542	17,121.20
" 8,	378	852,000	17,226.58
" 9,	430	308,755	6,218.92
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	4,812	\$11,200,363	\$232,804.14
Non-resident	.	.	957.44
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			\$233,761.58

1898.	Polls.	Valuation.	Tax.
Ward 1,	416	\$787,551	\$16,897.19
" 2,	204	293,880	4,956.52
" 3,	265	398,430	7,790.25
" 4,	865	2,443,228	48,492.91
" 5,	650	3,081,417	61,439.54
" 6,	810	2,064,000	41,492.41
" 7,	665	912,633	16,844.57
" 8,	399	862,135	16,293.89
" 9,	417	305,385	5,718.57
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	4691	\$11,148,699	\$219,925.85
Non-resident	.	.	1,154.36
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			\$221,080.21

TRUST FUNDS.

CITY TREASURER'S ACCOUNT

AS CUSTODIAN OF TRUST FUNDS.

ABIAL WALKER TRUST.

For the benefit of the School Fund.

Capital	\$1,000.00
Income received, 1898	35.00
Paid in to the city treasury	35.00

DAVID OSGOOD TRUST.

For the purchase of school books for poor children.

Capital	\$200.00
Balance from last year	\$129.05
Income received, 1898	11.50
	<hr style="width: 10%; display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle;"/> \$140.55

COUNTESS OF RUMFORD TRUST.

For the benefit of the Female Charitable Society. Income to be applied to the charitable uses and purposes of said society, and under its direction.

Capital	\$2,000.00
Income received, 1898	100.00
Paid Fanny E. Minot, treasurer of the society	100.00

PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUSTS.

NAME.	Capital.	Income received 1898.	*Paid into the city treasury.
Lyon, G. Parker.....	\$1,000.00	\$35.00	\$35.00
Pierce, Franklin.....	1 000 00	37.50	37.50
Valpey, Thomas G.....	500.00	17.50	17.50

*Specially appropriated by city council.

CEMETERY FUNDS.

NAME.	Capital, Jan. 1, 1898.	Added during 1898.	Capital, Jan. 1, 1899.	Unexpended income of previous years on hand January 1, 1898.	Income received, 1898.	*Paid into the city treasury.	Balance of Income, Jan. 1, 1899.
Blossom Hill.	\$16,424.33	\$584.84	\$17,009 17	.....	\$634.42	\$634.42	.....
Old Cemetery	715.00	.....	715.00	.....	28.48	28.48	.....
West Concord	252.00	23.00	275.00	\$65.28	9.98	.....	\$75.26
East Concord.	185.00	17.50	202.50	71.45	8.30	.....	79.75
Millville.....	200.00	.....	.....	11 85	6.65	.....	18.50

*Provided for by general appropriations.

CEMETERY TRUSTS.

NAME.	Capital.	Unexpended income of previous years.	Income received, 1898	Expended, 1898.	Balance of income on hand Jan. 1, 1899.
Abbott, William.....	\$300.00	\$43.08	12.00	4.00	51.96
Adams, Sarah M. K.....	700.00	75.83	25.35	21.00	80.20
Aillson, Mary B.....	50.00	.82	1.75	1.50	1.07
Atherton, Alonzo.....	100.00	2.30	3.57	1.50	4.37
Bailey, Abby L. Sanborn	100.00	.59	3.50	3.00	1.09
Benson, Matilda.....	50.00	.58	1.75	1.25	1.03
Bixby, Ella C.....	89.53	.38	2.94	3.25	.07
Blaisdell, James D.....	100.00	2.24	3.57	2.00	3.81
Blaisdell, Timothy K.....	200.00	22.02	7.77	4.00	25.79
Blanchard, Emily P.....	250.00	.....	.45	.....	.45
Bouton, Nathaniel.....	200.00	10.00	8.00	8.25	9.75
Bradford, James.....	50.00	1.56	1.78	.....	3.34
Buntin, Mary N. Preston.....	200.00	13.79	7.00	5.00	15.79
Butters, Harriet W.....	100.00	1.34	3.53	2.75	2.12
Caldwell, Benjamin F.....	250.00	8.77	9.03	16.80	1.00
Carter, Nathan F.....	100.00	4.33	3.50	3.00	4.83
Chaffin, John F.....	50.00	1.03	1.75	1.50	1.28
Cheney, Lyman and Mary F.....	50.00	2.30	1.75	.....	4.05
Chesley, Samuel M.....	100.00	1.66	3.50	3.00	2.16
Clark, Caroline.....	100.00	1.50	3.50	2.75	2.25
Clough, Frederick.....	100.00	.05	3.50	2.00	1.55
Clough, George.....	100.00	.....	11.12	.....	11.12
Clough, Mrs. N. P.....	10.00	.87	1.75	2.00	.62
Colburn, Amos L.....	50.00	.82	1.75	1.25	1.32
Cooper, Mrs. Josiah.....	75.00	1.17	2.62	1.50	2.29
Crow, Mary.....	200.00	45.69	8.57	4.00	50.26
Curtis, Silas.....	100.00	.....	1.71	1.50	.21
Danforth, Cordelia A.....	50.00	2.62	1.75	2.50	1.87
Danforth, Charles S.....	50.00	1.25	1.78	1.50	1.53

CEMETERY TRUSTS.—Continued.

NAME	Capital,	Unexpended income of previous years.	Income received, 1898	Expended, 1898.	Balance of income on hand Jan. 1, 1899.
Drown, Matilda.....	\$100.00	\$.58	\$2.16	.....	\$2.74
Eastman, Seth.....	100.00	.15	.....	.....	.15
Eaton, Stephen B.....	50.00	2.43	1.00	\$1.50	2.62
Edgerly, Lydia F.....	100.00	.63	3.50	3.00	1.13
Ela, Georgianna P.....	100.00	.53	3.50	3.00	1.03
Farley, Lydia A.....	100.00	1.80	3.50	2.00	3.39
Farnum, Mary M.....	100.00	1.74	3.50	3.00	2.24
Ferrin, Alvah C.....	100.00	.....	1.12	1.00	.12
Fogg, George G.....	300.00	2.87	3.50	3.00	3.37
Fowler, Asa.....	500.00	44.27	17.92	17.00	45.19
French, Theodore.....	100.00	.....	4.00	3.50	.50
Gale, Daniel E.....	100.00	12.28	3.50	11.50	4.28
Gale, John D.....	200.00	5.00	7.17	6.00	6.17
Gear, John.....	50.00	.79	1.75	1.50	1.04
Gilbert, Harvey J.....	50.00	.79	1.75	1.00	1.54
Glover, George A. & C. A. Osgood....	50.00	.79	1.75	1.50	1.04
Goss, Hannah A. and Fannie A.....	200.00	.....	3.46	2.00	1.46
Hadley, Betsey.....	100.00	.....	3.50	3.50	.....
Harding, George M.....	50.00	1.62	1.75	1.50	1.87
Hart, Mary D.....	200.00	9.87	12.00	11.25	10.62
Herbert, Mary.....	100.00	3.50	3.50	.....	7.00
Holt, J. Frank.....	200.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hoyt, Elisha and Sarah C.....	100.00	5.14	3.50	.....	8.64
Hoyt, Jacob.....	100.00	4.29	3.50	3.00	4.79
Hutchins, Mrs. Samuel.....	100.00	.58	2.16	.....	2.74
Irish, Sarah E.....	100.00	1.50	3.50	3.00	2.00
Kimball, John and Benjamin A.....	200.00	1.04	7.00	6.00	2.04
Kimball, Joseph S.....	100.00	5.89	3.50	2.50	6.89
Knowlton, Edward L.....	1,000.00	392.08	45.24	14.00	423.32

CEMETERY TRUSTS.—Continued.

NAME	Cap ital,	Unexpended income of p evious years.	Inc me received 1898	Expended, 1898.	Balance of income on hand Jan. 1, 1899
Lang, Abigail W.....	100.00	8.21	3.50	4.10	7.61
Larkin, B. L.....	50.00	3.70	1.75	3.00	2.45
Lincoln and Forrester.....	75.00		1.32		1.32
Lincoln, J. L.....	50.00	.79	1.75	1.00	1.54
Little, J. W. and E. J.....	100.00	24.50	6.00	4.00	26.50
Locke, William T.....	100.00	1.83	3.53	4.00	1.06
McCauley, John.....	100.00	.70	2.16	2.00	.86
McQuesten, Gre nough and Evarts..	100.00	.50	3.50	3.00	1.00
McQuesten, James.....	200.00	7.25	8.00	7.00	8.25
Mann, Henry A.....	100.00		2.02	1.00	1.02
Matthews, H. W. and H. O.....	100.00	.18	2.16	2.50	.24
Merrill, Charles H.....	50.00		.10		.10
Merrill, J. B.....	100.00	1.27	3.50	3.00	1.77
Merrill, S. F.....	100.00	1.27	3.50	3.00	1.77
Moody, Charles.....	100.00		2.09	2.00	.09
Morrill, Samuel and David L.....	150.00	5.90	5.25	4.00	7.15
Moses, Mary J.....	100.00	.18	2.16		2.74
Newhall, Mrs. C. H.....	175.00	10.13	6.13	3.00	13.26
Nutter, Eliphalet S.....	100.00	2.35	3.70	3.00	2.85
Oulin, Woodbridge.....	100.00		1.84	1.50	.14
Ordway, Eugene A.....	50.00	.37	1.75	1.75	.37
Osgood, True.....	100.00	.54	3.50	3.00	1.04
Page, William.....	25.00	.87	.88	.87	.88
Paige, Cyrus W.....	100.00	1.54	3.50	3.00	2.04
Pecker, Mrs. E. A.....	200.00	7.18	7.00	5.50	8.68
Phipps, Hannah E.....	100.00	4.14	3.50	2.50	5.14
Pitman, W. H.....	100.00	1.46	3.50	3.00	1.96
Pixley, S. Lizzie.....	75.00	1.23	2.63	3.50	.26
Reed, George L.....	100.00	1.83	3.50	2.25	3.08

CEMETERY TRUSTS.—*Concluded.*

NAME.	Capital.	Unexpended income of previous year.	Income received, 1898.	Expended 1898.	Balance of income on hand Jan. 1, 1899.
Richardson, Hiram	\$500 00	\$55.52	\$19.42	\$12.00	\$61 94
Richardson, Judith A.	100 00	1 83	3.50	3 00	2 33
Rollins, E. H.	300.00	30.90	11.55	5.00	37 45
Russell, Moses W.	200.00	4.25	7 00	3 00	8.25
Sanborn, Jonathan	100.00	3.10	3 50	3.00	3.06
Sargent, John B.	100.00	1.80	3.50	2.50	2.80
Sargent, Jonathan	200.00	.....	4.25	1 75	2.51
Shaw, Mary A.	100.00	1 50	3.50	.....	5.00
Smith, Andrew S.	50.00	.....	1.01	.....	1 01
Smith, Mary W.	150 00	.....	1.57	1 50	.07
Southmald, Hattie R.	50 00	1 25	1.75	2.25	.75
Stickney, Nathan	50.00	.32	1.75	2.00	.07
Stuart, Thomas	100.00	1.58	3.50	2 50	2.58
Sweetser, Abigail	200 00	11.26	7.00	5 00	13.26
Tebbitts, Hiram B.	100.00	.....	4 50	1.50	3.00
Tenney, Harriet N.	100.00	5.58	3.50	.....	9.08
Tenney, Nelson.	50 00	.....	1.18	.....	1 18
Thorne, John C.	100.00	3.07	3.50	3.00	4.17
Tidd, Pliny	50.00	2 12	1.75	3.00	.87
Upham, Eliza W.	200.00	12.18	6.92	4.50	14.60
Walker, Mary E.	200.00	2.50	7.00	5.50	4.00
Walker, Timothy and Abigail B.	200.00	2 22	7.07	7.00	2.29
Wentworth, Paul	200.00	7 44	8.00	5.00	10.44
Whittredge, George F.	100.00	16.29	3.50	3.00	16.79
Williams, Mary	50 00	.25	1 75	1.50	.50
Woodruff, Robert	200.00	14.93	7 00	6 50	15.43
Woodward, E. W.	100.00	2.55	3.57	3.00	3.12
	15,314 53	1,019.30	518.83	370 52	1,167.69

SUNDRY INDIVIDUAL CEMETERY TRUSTS.

Cash	\$ 331.19	
Savings Banks (accumulated income)	936.41	
Savings Banks (capital)	7,814.53	
City of Concord 3 1-2 per cent bonds	5,900.00	
City of Concord 4 per cent bonds	600.00	
United States 4 per cent bonds	300.00	
*One share Abbot-Downing Co. stock (par value)	100.00	
*One share Northern R. R. stock (par value)	100.00	
*One share Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. stock (par value)	100.00	
*Two shares Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe R. R. stock (par value)	200.00	
*Two shares Pemigewasset Valley R. R. stock (par value)	200.00	
	<hr/>	\$16,482.13
*Invested by donor.		

SINKING FUNDS.

PENACOOK SEWER PRECINCT,		
Savings Bank	\$889.88	
WEST CONCORD SEWER PRECINCT,		
City of Concord 3 1-2 per cent bonds	\$2,000.00	
Savings Bank	1,232.45	
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EAST CONCORD SEWER PRECINCT,		
Savings Bank		\$309.92

RECAPITULATION.

City of Concord 3 1-2 per cent bonds	\$12,500.00	
City of Concord 4 per cent bonds	14,400.00	
United States 4 per cent bonds	850.00	
Savings Banks in Concord	14,508.87	
Sundry Stocks	700.00	
Notes	2,000.00	
Cash	371.74	
	<hr/>	\$45,330.11

CITY OF CONCORD TRUST FUND INVESTMENTS.**AB AL WALKER TRUST,**

City Of Concord 3 1-2 per cent bond	\$1,000.00
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DAVID OSGOOD TRUST,

City of Concord 4 percent bond (Capital)	200.00
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City of Concord 3 1-2 per cent bond (Accumulated Income)	100.00
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Cash (Accumulated Income)	40.55
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CCUNESS OF RUMFORD TRUST,

Note of the Eagle & Phenix Hotel Co. 5 per cent	2,000.00
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PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUSTS.**G. PARKER LYON TRUST,**

City of Concord 3 1-2 per cent bond	\$1,000.00
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FRANKLIN PIERCE TRUST,

City of Concord 4 per cent bond	500.00
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Savings Bank	500.00
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	\$1,000.00

THOMAS G. VALPEY TRUST,

City of Concord 3 1-2 per cent bond	500.00
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CEMETERY FUNDS.**BLOSSOM HILL**

Savings Bank	\$2,059.17
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City of Concord 4 per cent bonds	12,400.00
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City of Concord 3 1-2 per cent bonds	2,000.00
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United States 4 per cent bonds	550.00
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OLD CEMETERY,

City of Concord 4 per cent bonds	\$700.00
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Savings Bank	15.00
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WEST CONCORD,

Savings Bank (Capital)	\$275.00
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Savings Bank (Accumulated Income)	75.26
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EAST CONCORD,

Savings Bank (Capital)	\$202.50	
Savings Bank (Accumulated Income)	79.75	
		<u>\$282.25</u>

MILLVILLE,

Savings Bank (Capital)	\$200.00	
Savings Bank (Accumulated Income)	18.50	
		<u>\$218.50</u>

PENACOOK SEWER PRECINCT SINKING FUND.

Balance, January 1, 1898	\$5,203.85	
Income received	190.20	
Received, city of Concord	500.00	
Premium on bonds sold	350.00	
Accrued interest on bonds sold	45.83	
		<u>\$6,289.88</u>
Bonds paid	\$5,000.00	
Transfer to city of Concord in accordance with Ordinance passed by the City Council, Dec. 13th, 1898	400.00	
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1899	889.88	
		<u>\$6,289.88</u>

WEST CONCORD SEWER PRECINCT SINKING FUND.

Balance, January 1, 1898	\$2,652.07	
Income received	80.38	
Received, city of Concord	500.00	
		<u>\$3,232.45</u>

EAST CONCORD SEWER PRECINCT SINKING FUND.

Balance, January 1, 1898	\$203.12	
Income received	6.80	
Received, city of Concord	100.00	
		<u>\$309.92</u>

MUNICIPAL FUNDED DEBT.
POLICE STATION BONDS.

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
July 1, 1903.	4,	semi-annually,	17,000.00

WIDENING PLEASANT STREET EXTENSION.

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
June 1, 1905,	4,	semi-annually,	\$13,800.00

MEMORIAL ARCH BONDS.

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
July 1, 1899,	4,	semi-annually,	\$5,000.00
July 1, 1900,	4,	semi-annually,	5,000.00

\$10,000.00

BRIDGE BONDS.

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
July 1, 1904,	4,	semi-annually,	\$5,000.00
July 1, 1905,	4,	semi-annually,	5,000.00
July 1, 1906,	4,	semi-annually,	5,000.00
July 1, 1907,	4,	semi-annually,	5,000.00

\$20,000.00

PUBLIC PARK BONDS.

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
June 1, 1914,	3 1-2	semi-annually,	\$25,000.00
Funded city debt	.	.	\$85,800.00

CITY DEBT NOT FUNDED.

*(Compiled by Auditor Abbott.)

Orders outstanding	\$365.00
Interest on bonds, accrued, not yet due	1,058.91
Coupons overdue, not presented	241.25
Due school districts	15,593.99
Dog licenses to school fund	1,413.54
Notes	6,400.00
Interest accrued, not due	40.84

\$25,113.53

Funded city debt 85,800.00

\$110,913.53

AVAILABLE ASSETS.

Cash in treasury January 1, 1899	\$19,643.56
Cash in hands W. P. Ladd	322.51
County poor	5,398.45
County soldiers	2,171.05
Electrical inspection	79.90
Highway department	320.05
Rent—quarries	756.00
Taxes 1896	\$144.80
“ 1897	1,894.34
“ 1898	34,083.27
Liquor—stock on hand	462.06
Total available	\$65,275.99
Indebtedness above assets January 1, 1899	\$45,637.54
Indebtedness above assets January 1, 1898	42,151.53
Increase for the year	\$3,486.01

PRECINCT FUNDED DEBT.**SEWER BONDS.**

When due.	Rate of Interest.	Payable	Amount.
July 1, 1904,	4,	semi-annually,	\$12,000.00
June 1, 1914,	3 1-2,	semi-annually,	25,000.00
Dec. 1, 1914,	3 1-2,	semi-annually,	9,000.00
July 1, 1917,	3 1-2,	semi-annually,	25,000.00
			\$71,000.00

WATER PRECINCT BONDS.

When due.	Rate of Interest.	Payable	Amount.
Nov. 1, 1899,	4,	semi-annually,	\$10,000.00
Nov. 1, 1900,	3 1-2,	semi-annually,	15,000.00
Jan. 1, 1901,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1902,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1903,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00

CITY OF CONCORD.

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
Jan. 1, 1904,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1905,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1906,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1907,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1908,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1909,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1910,	4,	semi-annually,	5,000.00
Jan. 1, 1911,	4,	semi-annually,	5,000.00
Oct. 1, 1912,	4,	semi-annually,	45,000.00
Jan. 1, 1913,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1914,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1915,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1916,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1917,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1918,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1919,	4,	semi-annually,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1922,	4,	semi-annually,	400,000.00
Mar. 1, 1922,	3 1-2	semi-annually,	20,000.00
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			\$660,000.00
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			\$731,000.00

PRECINCT DEBT NOT FUNDED.

Coupons overdue, sewer bonds, not presented	\$105.00
Interest accrued, not yet due, sewer bonds	776.67
Interest accrued, not yet due, water bonds	12,237.50
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	13,119.17
Precinct funded debt	731,000.00
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Precinct debt	\$744,119.17
Less available assets, cash on hand, water department	12,098.06
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Net precinct debt, January 1, 1899	\$732,021.11
Net precinct debt, January 1, 1898	742,998.01
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Decrease	\$10,976.90

UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT BONDS.

When due	Rate of Interest,	Payable,	Amount.
July 1, 1899,	4,	semi-annually,	\$15,000.00
July 1, 1900,	4,	semi-annually,	15,000.00
July 1, 1901,	4,	semi-annually,	15,000.00
July 1, 1902,	4,	semi-annually,	15,000.00
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			60,000.00
Interest accrued, not yet due	.	.	1,200.00
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			\$61,200.00

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 20 BONDS.

When due.	Rate of Interest.	Payable.	Amount.
July 1, 1899,	4,	semi-annually,	500.00
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			\$500.00
Interest accrued, not yet due	.	.	10.00
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			\$510.00

Net liability of school districts . . . \$61,710.00

These bonds are issued under ordinances of the city council, as authorized by the act of the legislature of New Hampshire, approved August 14, 1889, entitled, "An act authorizing the city of Concord to borrow money in aid of its school districts."

These school districts have, by their votes and by their agents duly authorized, bound themselves to the city to seasonably pay to the city sufficient sums of money to enable it to meet the payments of interest and principle upon their indebtedness, and all incidental expenses, as the same shall become due.

PENACOOK SEWER PRECINCT.**SEWER BONDS PAYABLE AS FOLLOWS:**

When due.	Rate of Interest.	Payable.	Amount.
Aug. 1, 1903,	4,	semi-annually,	\$5,000.00
Aug. 1, 1908,	4,	semi-annually,	6,000.00
May 1, 1913,	4,	semi annually,	5,000.00
July 1, 1914,	4,	semi-annually,	500.00

July 1, 1915,	4,	semi-annually,	500.00
July 1, 1916,	4,	semi-annually,	500.00
July 1, 1917,	4,	semi-annually,	500.00
July 1, 1918,	4,	semi-annually,	500.00
July 1, 1919,	4,	semi-annually,	500.00

\$19,000.00

Interest accrued, not yet due	.	.	326.67
Coupons due, but not presented	.	.	140.00

\$19,466.67

Amount of sinking fund accumulated, including interest	\$889.88
Net indebtedness on account of Penacook sewer precinct, January 1, 1899	\$18,576.79
Net indebtedness on account of Penacook sewer precinct, January 1, 1898	\$19,276.15
Decrease for the year	\$699.36

The above bonds were issued under ordinances passed by the city council, establishing a sewer precinct in Penacook, and authorizing loans on the credit of the city for the establishing of said system. The ordinances also provide that the yearly interest and a portion of the principal shall be raised each year, for the purpose of creating a sinking fund to pay said bonds as they mature, as follows.

\$500 annually for ten years from August 1, 1888,

\$1,000 annually for five years from August 1, 1898.

\$1,200 annually for five years from August 1, 1903.

\$1,000 annually for five years from May 1, 1908.

\$500 annually for six years from July, 1, 1914.

by taxation upon the taxable property in Penacook sewer precinct, said sums, as soon as received, to be placed at interest by the finance committee.

WEST CONCORD SEWER PRECINCT.

SEWER BONDS PAYABLE AS FOLLOWS.

When due	Rate of interest	Payable	Amount.
Oct. 1, 1902,	4,	semi-annually,	\$5,000.00

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Oct. 1, 1907,	4,	semi-annually,	5,000.00
Oct. 1 1912,	4,	semi-annually,	7,000.00
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			\$17,000.00
Interest accrued, not yet due			\$170.00
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			\$17,170.00
Amount of sinking fund accumulated, including			
interest			3,232.45
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Net indebtedness on account of West Concord sewer precinct, January 1, 1899 \$13,937.55

The above bonds were issued under ordinances passed by the city council, establishing a sewer precinct in West Concord, and authorizing loans on the credit of the city for the establishing of said system. The ordinances also provide that the yearly interest and a portion of the principal shall be raised each year, for the purpose of creating a sinking fund to pay said bonds as they mature, as follows.

\$500 annually for ten years from October 1, 1892.

\$1,000 annually for five years from October 1, 1902.

\$1,400 annually for five years from October 1, 1907.

by taxation upon the taxable property in West Concord sewer precinct, said sums, as soon as received, to be placed at interst by the finance committee.

EAST CONCORD SEWER PRECINCT.

SEWER BONDS PAYABLE AS FOLLOWS.

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
July 1, 1900,	3 1-2	semi-annually,	\$500.00
July 1, 1905,	3 1-2	semi-annually,	500.00
July 1, 1910,	3 1-2	semi-annually,	500.00
July 1, 1915,	3 1-2	semi-annually,	500.00
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			\$2,000.00
Interest accrued, not yet due			35.00
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			\$2,035.00
Amount of sinking fund accumulated			309.92
Net debt East Concord sewer precinct, 1899			\$1,725.08

The above bonds were issued under ordinance passed by the city council authorizing a loan on the credit of the city. The ordinance also provides that the yearly interest and a portion of the principal shall be raised each year, for the purpose of creating a sinking fund to pay said bonds as they mature, as follows :

One hundred dollars annually for twenty years from July 1, 1895, by taxation upon the taxable property in East Concord sewer precinct, said sums, as soon as received, to be placed at interest by the finance committee.

RECAPITULATION.

Net regular municipal debt above assets	\$45,637.54
Net precinct debt above assets	732,021.11
Net school district debt	61,710.00
Net West Concord sewer debt	13,937.55
Net Penacook sewer debt	18,576.79
Net East Concord sewer debt	1,725.08
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Aggregate indebtedness over available assets, January 1, 1899	\$873,608.07
Aggregate indebtedness over available assets January 1, 1898	898,295.50
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Decrease during year	\$24,687.43

REGULAR APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1897

For the payment of state tax	\$29,499.25
the payment of county tax	42,200.69
support of schools	34,705.00
payment of Memorial Arch bonds	5,000.00
payment of interest	3,700.00
support of the city poor	700.00
incidental and land damages, including expense of indemnity	
bonds for city officers	3,000.00
committee service	1,410.00

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For printing and stationery . . .	2,500.00
legal expenses . . .	200.00
beds at Margaret Pillsbury Hos- pital.	2,000.00
Decoration Day	345.00
aid dependant soldiers	500.00
public school text-books	2,800.00
open air concerts	300.00
Blossom Hill Cemetery	\$2,100.00
Old North Cemetery	100 00
West Concord Cemetery	100.00
Millville Cemetery	50.00
White Park	2,850.00
Rollins Park	650.00
Penacook Park	75.00
Bradley Park	75.00
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FOR SALARIES.

For Mayor	\$1,000.00
City clerk	1,200.00
Overseer of poor, Wards 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9	200.00
Overseer of poor Ward 1	30.00
Overseer of poor Ward 2	10.00
City auditor	1,000.00
City solicitor	500.00
City treasurer	250.00
City messenger	600.00
care of city clocks	85.00
clerk of common council	50.00
Board of Education, Union School District	250.00
Board of Education, District No. 20	25.00
Town district school board	200.00
nine assessors	2,760.00
nine moderators	27.00

CITY OF CONCORD.

For nine ward clerks	90.00	
twenty-seven selectmen	135.00	
judge police court	800.00	
clerk of police court	\$200.00	
collector of taxes, so much as may be necessary of the sum of	1,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,852.00

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

For salary of librarian, assistants, and janitor	\$2,765.00	
purchase of books and magazines	700.00	
printing catalogue	400.00	
fuel and lights	315.00	
binding	400.00	
repair of roof	335.00	
incidentals	85.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,000.00

BOARD OF HEALTH.

For salary of health officer	\$800.00	
salary of board of health	75.00	
rent	108.00	
lights	10.00	
care of pest house	15.00	
assistance in sanitary inspection	100.00	
bacteriological tests	150.00	
materials for fumigation	27.00	
incidental expenses	150.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,435.00

POLICE AND WATCH.

For salary city marshal	\$1,200.00	
salary deputy	900.00	
salary captain of watch	850.00	
pay eight patrolmen	6,400.00	
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pay of janitor	225.00	

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For pay of special policemen	300.00
fuel of city proper	200.00
fuel Penacook	\$30.00
board of horse and shoeing	285.00
extra horse hire in city	30.00
extra horse hire in Penacook	30.00
lights	180.00
rent at Penacook	108.00
telephone and street gong at Penacook	50.00
water	28.00
ice	15.00
incidentals	125.00
helmets and buttons	75.00
uniforms for special police	50.00
police commissioners	150.00
police telephone service	500.00
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	\$11,656.00

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

For salary of commissioner of high- ways	\$1,400.00
general maintenance and repairs	1,8000.00
permanent work	6,500.00
cleaning streets	4,300.00
new concrete, (sidewalks and crossings)	2,000.00
repairing concrete	1,500.00
catch basins, construction and cleaning	1,300.00
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	\$35,000.00

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

For city engineer, salary	\$1,500.00
assistants salary	1,000.00
supplies	100.00
repairs	50.00

rent	204.00
incidentals	146.00
	<hr/> \$3,000.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

For chief engineer salary . .	\$950.00
assistant engineer's (pre-	
cinct) salary	250.00
permanent men, pay-rolls	5,568.00
Kearsarge Steamer Co. pay-	
rolls	1,010.00
Eagle Steamer Co., pay-	
rolls	1,010.00
Hook & Ladder Co., pay-	
roll	1,615.00
Governor Hill relief Co.,	
pay-rolls	195.00
Alert Hose Co., pay-rolls	815.00
Good Will Hose Co., pay-	
rolls	815.00
Pioneer Steamer Co., pay-	
rolls	500.00
Pioneer Steamer Co., sal-	
ary engineer	75.00
Pioneer Steamer Co., sal-	
ary assistant engineer . .	25.00
Pioneer Steamer Co., stew-	
ard	30.00
Pioneer Steamer Co., jani-	
tor	45.00
Cataract Co., pay-rolls	240.00
Cataract Co., salary as-	
sistant engineer	10.00
Cataract Co., steward . .	15.00
Cataract Co., Janitor . .	15.00
Old Fort Co., pay-rolls . .	240.00
Old Fort Co., salary as-	

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sistant engineer	10.00	
Old Fort Co., steward	15.00	
rent of rooms, Veteran		
Firemen's Association	150.00	
extra men for vacation	214.16	
	<hr/>	\$13,812.16
For forage	\$500.00	
fuel	400.00	
lights	450.00	
water	116.50	
horse shoeing	300.00	
purchase of horses	300.00	
horse hire	400.00	
washing	100.00	
fire alarm	650.00	
supplies for chemical engine	50.00	
hose	525.00	
incidentals	1,396.34	
	<hr/>	\$19,000.00

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

For bridges, Ward 1	\$10,200.00
fire department	75.00
public library	100.00
White Park	15.00
Penacook Park	10.00
Bradley Park	10.00
Old Norih Cemetery	150.00
Pine Grove Cemetery	25.00
liquor agency	418.59
history commission	379.24
salaries	950.00
incidentals and land damages	3,350.00
drinking fountain, Penacook	150.00
police station, Penacook	900.00

PRECINCT APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1898.

For interest, sewer bonds	.	.	\$2,545.00
lighting streets	.	.	10,500.00
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WATER PRECINCT APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1898.

For hydrants	.	.	\$6,000.00
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STREET SPRINKLING APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1898.

For sprinkling streets	.	.	\$3961.49
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APPROPRIATIONS FOR UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR 1898.

For payment of bonds	.	.	\$15,000.00
interest on bonds	.	.	2,700.00
			<hr/> \$17,700.00

PENACOOK PRECINCT APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1898.

For sinking fund	.	.	\$500.00
interest, sewer bonds	.	.	960.00
repairs	.	.	300.00
			<hr/> \$1,760.00

WEST CONCORD SEWERAGE PRECINCT FOR 1898.

For sinking fund	.	.	\$500.00
interest on bonds	.	.	680.00
			<hr/> \$1,180.00

EAST CONCORD SEWERAGE PRECINCT FOR 1898.

For sinking fund	.	.	\$100.00
payment of interest on bonds	.	.	70.00
			<hr/> \$170.00

APPROPRIATIONS FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 20.

For payment of bond	.	.	\$500.00
interest	.	.	60.00
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REPORT OF THE CITY TREASURER,

W. F. THAYER, *Treasurer*, IN ACCOUNT WITH CITY OF CONCORD.

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Balance on hand January 1, 1898	\$21,179.22	Aid to dependent soldiers and their families, acc't city	207.15
George A. Foster, taxes 1893	56.53	Aid to dependent soldiers and their families, acc't county	2,171.05
" " 1894	276.17	Blossom Hill Cemetery	5,784.17
" " 1895	248.85	Board of Health	1,213.15
Wendel P. Ladd " 1896	165.00	Bonds	5,000.00
" " 1897	32,445.00	Bradley Park	63.25
" " 1898	181,825.00	City History Commission	379.24
Alfred Clark, Concrete	576.67	City Poor	358.85
" " crushed stone	44.35	Committee Service	1,410.00
" " bridge	432.23	County poor	5,423.59
" " use of pump	1.00	County tax	42,270.69
" " " steam roller	25.00	Decoration day	345.00
W. B. Howe " rent of pump	16.00	Dog licenses	30.00
" " sale of sewer pipe	11.08	Drinking fountain, Ward One	119.98
" " " material	3.15	East Concord Sewerage Precinct, interest	70.00
J. A. Cochran billiard and pool table licenses	340.00	East Concord Sewerage Precinct, orders,	112.00
" " job team and hack licenses	118.00	Engineering department	2,986.51
" " dog licenses	1,443.54	Fire department	19,986.49
" " fees	142.80		
" " poor	18.00		
" " fees	327.24		

J. A. Cochran, sale of old town records	5.00	Incidentals		6,049.43
" " account E. T. Jenness	3.00	Interest		3,989.14
James E. Rand, licenses	83.00	Land for Blossom Hill Cemetery		5,000.00
G. S. Locke, fines and costs	7,174.82	" " Police Station, Penacook		900.00
Moses Ladd, liquor agency	1,918.15	Legal expenses		30.10
Grace Blanchard, fines	181.25	Lighting streets, Ward One		1,300.00
" " sale of catalogues	16.50	Liquor agency		2,336.74
Harry G. Sargent, costs E. D. Clough tax suit	16.66	Margaret Pillsbury General Hospital		2,000.00
Harry R. Hood, fees police court	85.75	Millville Cemetery		50.00
W. C. Green, rent of teams	797.20	Notes		25,000.00
" " sale of pair horses	115.00	Old North Cemetery		386.05
" " sundry articles	14.50	Open air concerts		300.00
W. P. Fiske White Park	122.00	Penacook bridges		1,859.37
" " Park Com'r balance of		Penacook Park		80.81
general fund	58.67	Penacook sewerage precinct bonds		5,000.00
E. A. Moulton, Blossom Hill Cemetery	1,100.60	" " " interest		940.00
" " Old North Cemetery	95.81	" " " orders		1,239.33
W. F. Thayer, Tres. Blossom Hill and		Pine Grove Cemetery		25.00
Old North Cemeteries	345.55	Police and watch		11,204.43
Sale of lots and grading Blossom Hill		Precinct, interest		2,475.00
Cemetery	1,974.93	" " orders		10,173.10
Income from Blossom Hill Cemetery fund	634.42	Printing and stationery		2,386.51
Income from Old North Cemetery		Public Library		5,091.02
fund	28.48	Roads and bridges		34,974.25

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A. B. Woodworth acc't Concord Street Railway	75.00	Rollins Park	629.10
Town of Grafton acc't Mrs. Weeks	7.14	Salaries	11,789.15
C. H. Staniels, rent of City Hall Armory	225.00	Schools	57,249.50
Otis G. Hammond " " " "	225.00	School District No. 20, interest	30.00
Danforth & Forrest " land	62.50	School-house tax	100.00
E. A. Stevens " City Hall	44.00	Sewers	4,058.46
Crowley & Quinn " quarry	50.00	South End sewer	920.25
L. O. Peabody " "	5.00	State tax	29,499.25
Granite Railway Co. " "	30.00	Street sprinkling	3,119.99
Frank R. Clark " "	25.00	Union School District, bonds	15,000.00
Fifield & Hubbard, sale of building,		" " interest	3,000.00
Penacook	25.00	Water Precinct	6,000.00
Daniel B. Webber, wood cut city lot	7.50	West Concord Cemetery	87.63
W. J. Drew, inspection of wires	1.20	" " Sewerage Precinct, inter- est	680.00
E. A. Rowe " "	2.80	West Concord Sewerage Precinct, orders, White Park	1,412.32
Concord Street Railway inspection of wires	12.85	" " addition	2,960.10
Concord Light & Water Power Co., in- spection of wires	4.00	Balance on hand	1,400.00
Boston & Maine R. R., inspection of wires	5.20		19,643.56
			<hr/> \$368,290.77

New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	10 80
Postal Telegraph Co.	8.50
Western Union Tel. Co., tracing and re- poring wires	.60
Notes	31,400.00
Accrued interest on notes Nos. 224, 225, and 226	4 00
State of New Hampshire, bounty on hawks	.50
State of N. H. insurance tax	939.75
" " railroad tax	42,269.50
" " Savings bank tax,	24,898.17
" " literary fund tax,	1,832.40
Peacock Sewer Precinct sinking fund,	5,400.00
Lyon legacy for public library	35.00
Pierce " " "	37.50
Valpey " " "	17.50
Walker " " schools	35.00
Merrimack county paupers oft farm	4,626.01
" " aid to dependent sol- diers	1,501.13
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	\$368,290.77

CITY EXPENSES.

FROM JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31, 1898.

Being an itemized account, made up from the books of the City Auditor, of the payments made by the City Treasurer on account of

RUNNING EXPENSES.

PREPARED BY AUDITOR JOHN B. ABBOTT.

The arrangement of the details of expenditure which follows is intended to furnish such information as is desired by the public, and is in accordance with suggestions received from various sources. Items of payment to the same individual at sundry times are included in the aggregate amount given, if paid for the same objects. Every effort has been made to ascertain and pay all the bills for the current year; and in all cases, so far as known, payments of rent, etc., have been made to December 31, 1898, and salaries and committee service have been paid for the full municipal year.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES AND INTEREST.

Paid Solon A. Carter, state treasurer	.	\$29,499.25
County treasurer	. . . . .	42,200.69
coupous and interest account	. . . . .	3,989.14

CITY POOR.

Mrs. Thomas H. Clark	\$256.42
Ernest Beliveau	42.43
Mrs. Georgianna S. Wilson	15.00

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Albert Shaw	15 00	
Patrick Hackett	30.00	
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CITY POOR SOLDIERS.

Mrs Henry M. Sanborn	53.80	
Stephen Lamphrey	104.00	
Orrin Larkin	109.35	
	<hr/>	\$267.15

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Pay rolls, W. F. Thayer, Tr.	\$6,920.68	
Pay rolls, W. P. Ladd, Paymaster	6,810.00	
Abbott, Geo. Jr.	18.45	
Abbott-Downing Company	113.25	
Alexander, L. E.	8.00	
American Soap and Washoline Co.	6.88	
Barnes, Henry K.	10.13	
Baker & Kuowlton,	1.00	
Berry, Geo. A. & Co.	2.80	
Bickford, M. F.	202.00	
Britton, A. H. & Co.	102.13	
Burleigh, N. B.	2.50	
Bruce Arthur, Trustee	3.75	
Caldbeck, John	20.61	
Callahan, Cornelius	2.50	
Carpenter, W. . . . .	.75	
Carr, N. G.	1.85	
Cate, B. J.	3.00	
Cate, Ross W.	6.00	
Clark C. W.	75.00	
Colburn, F. E.	5.00	
Conant, H. E.	67.35	
Concord Coal Co.,	539.18	
Concord Ice Co.	19.76	
“ Laud & Water Power	58.62	

Concord Light & Power Co.	286.35
" Machine Co.	14.05
" Water Works	108.50
Conway, Patrick	30.00
Crowley, Daniel	17.80
Crowther, Leslie H.	75.00
Cushman, Electric Co.	2.80
Cunningham, W. B.	3.00
Dadmun, C. W.	21.68
Dame, C. R.	1.00
Davis, E. H.	35.00
Davis, E. L.	102.50
Davis, O. N.	17.49
Day, Arthur N.	276.10
Decrow, W. E.	122.00
Dodge, J. H. & Co.	815.20
Downing, F. L.	4.75
Downing, G. H.	2.50
Duncklee, W. A.	13.00
Duncklee, Norris A.	10.75
Durgin, Ed. C.	5.00
Eastman, Lowell	2.20
Electric Gas Lighting Co.	2.45
Eureka Fire Hose Co.	509.50
Fitch A. P.	9.23
Fellows, Clark & Co.	33.50
Fellows & Davis	56.00
Flanders, C. B.	2.00
Foote, Brown & Co.	12.47
Ford & Kimball	1.64
Gamewell, N. E. & Co.	301.58
George, F. H.	1.25
Gienty, D. H.	76.00
Globe Horseshoeing Shop	120.00
Green, W. C.	23.09
Haggerty, Catherine	12.95
Hammond, H. D.	9.39
Hill, Cyrus heirs	75.00

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Hill, J. R. Co.,	29.58
Hoit, L. B.	57.75
Holmes, C. F.	9.00
Humphrey Dodge & Co.,	83.01
Huntley & Tenney	75.17
Hutchinson, E. B. bldg. Co.,	2.00
Jackson, A. S.	9.00
Johnson, J. D. & Son	77.15
Jones, George Mrs.	12.00
Kemp, George A.	2.00
Lee Bros.	38.22
Maguire, Robert J.	97.05
Martin, C. H. & Co.,	15.30
McShane, James E.	120.00
New England Soap Co.	1.25
Parmenter & Co.,	19.56
Pelissier & Co.,	30.18
Penacook Electric Co.,	87.60
Robinson, George O.	5.00
Rolfe, Abial W.	11.04
Rowell, J. H. & Co.,	22.74
Rowell & Plummer	6.65
Sanborn, A. C.	4.00
Scott, F. W. & Co.	238.38
Sexton, M. S.	18.40
Stevens & Duncklee	16.00
Stewart J. M. & Sons Co.	82.50
Sturtevant, H. C. & Son	53.94
Sullivan, Eugene & Co.,	4.25
Talbot Dye and chemical Co.,	3.60
Theobald, George L.	513.15
White, P. C.	15.00
Wilcox, Chas. W.	7.50
Young, A. B. Mrs.	5.97
Welch, James	7.29

 \$19,986.49

INCIDENTALS AND LAND DAMAGE.

Pay-rolls	\$842.35
Abbott, George Jr.	192.54
Adams, Chancey	28.50
Adams, Frank	21.20
Allen, W. W.	6.15
American Express Co.	2.29
Batchelder, C. F.	13.40
Bean, W. Arthur	2.00
Boardman, C. S.	4.00
Bowen, J. C.	8.53
Burleigh, N. B.	7.25
Carpenter, W.	43.28
Chase, Henry H.	177.00
Chase, Jas. H. (Heirs of)	195.00
Chase & Martin	36.00
Chadwick, Jno.,	3.50
Cheever, Wm.	2.32
Cochran, J. A.	76.88
Concord Axle Co.,	.30
" Ice Co.,	496.05
" L. & P. Co.,	136.20
" Coal Co.,	152.66
" L. & W. P. Co.,	216.00
" Water Works	40.00
" St. R. R.	30.00
Cleveland, H. A.	125.00
Clarke, Chas. B.	10.00
Cook, Howard M.	26.00
Crosby, Guy L.	2.00
Darrah, W. W.	31.15
Davis, E. H.	80.85
Dixon, E. H.	4.86
Dunklee, N. A.	51.00
Eastman & Merrill	18.00
Emmons, O. F.	2.10
Fanning, John	2.00

Fiphen, C. F.	2.12
Flanders, H. A.	7.45
Foote, Brown & Co.,	28.10
Ford & Kimball	62.41
Foster, Geo. A. agt.	25.00
Gale, N. S. & Co.,	9.30
Green, W. C.	65.00
Howe, Geo. W. (U. R. K. B.)	40.00
Hill, J. R. & Co.,	4.50
Humphrey Dodge Co.,	21.90
Hutchinson, E. B. bldg. Co.,	4.30
Inman, Jno. H.	2.00
Jackman & Lang	64.50
Judgement—(Ford J. H.)	20.00
“ (Fowler T. L.)	89.59
Ladd, W. P.	100.00
Landon, F. W.	61.71
Lee Bros.	12.20
Locke, G. S.	604.54
Mace, F. P.	27.00
Marsh, H. O.	8.50
Martin, N. E.	24.81
Maxam, A. E.	5.00
Merrill, Nellie A.	300.00
Minot, Ruth A.	16.50
Morrill & Danforth	178.90
Morse, E. B.	8.00
N. E. Granite works.	22.50
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.,	540.79
Republican Press Assn.	251.25
Rolfe C. M. & A. W.	126.07
Rowell & Plummer	9.15
Rollins R. H.	2 00
Sanborn, Samuel G.	20.15
Scott, F. W. & Co.,	216.64
Stevens, Edward A.	51.28
Stevens & Dunklee	34.04
Stewart, J. M. & Sons	5.50

CITY OF CONCORD.

Sturtevant, H. C. & Son	1.25
Swenson, John	78.00
Symonds, Wm.	3.45
Theobold, Geo. L.	5.00
Thompson & Hoague	1.25
Taylor, Durgin & Sebra	3.00
Town school dis.	16.50
Truchon, Chas.	1.50
Walker, A. W.	2.00
Wilson, Wm. S.	15.00
Williams, H. O.	2.00
Woodworth, A. B.	44.42
Union Pub. Co.,	18.00
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	\$6,349.43

Committee Service.

Harvey P. Sanborn	\$12.83
City treasurer	1,397.17
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	\$1,410.00

History Commission.

Carter, George E.	\$55.25
Corning, Charles R.	150.00
Evans, Ira C.	3.00
McFarland, Henry	42.99
Newhall, Blanche	114.00
Rumford Printing Co.	14.00
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	\$379.24

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

Roads and Bridges.

Pay Rolls	\$23,975.66
Abbot Downing Co.	25.00
Abbott, C. H.	1.00
Abbott, J. N.	63.96
Abbott, Geo. Jr	97.82
Adams, Frank	82.50
Ames Plow Co.	10.50
Anderson, Ola	29.00
Bachelor, J. T.	13.54
Bennett, Frank R.	8.00
Bilsborough, B	4.20
Britton, A. H. & Co.	34.36
Brodger, Dennis	3.00
Carter, Fred	{ 4.00 6.00
Cate, Ross W.	36.00
Clark, Alfred	104.14
" "	1,400.00
Clark, Peter	23.60
Climax Road Machine Co.	49.14
Coffin, Frank & Co.	41.88
Colby, Frank P.	3.00
Concord Fire department	115.00
" Foundry Co,	154.61
" Land & Water Power Co.	96.00
" Light & Power Co.	.60
" Water Works	228.50
Crosby Steam Gage & Valve Co.	7.04
Crossman, J. M.	.75
Cushman Electric Co.	6.85
Danforth, Forrest & Morgan	56.96
Davis, S. H. & Co.	10.00
Davis, E. L.	3.00
Dimond, Frank E.	13.30

Dutton, J. S.	108.00
Emery, L. F.	104.79
Emery, R. S.	19.04
Eyeless Tool Co.	14.38
Farrell Foundry Machine Co.	31.30
Flanders Woodbury (est.)	3.30
Foote, Brown & Co.	8.49
Ford & Kimball	7.77
Ford, W. P. & Co.	43.38
Gage, Asa M.	.90
Gale, N. S. & Co.	31.63
Giddis, Joseph	27.14
Gill, Samuel K.	46.86
Goodhue & Milton	17.77
Good Roads Mach'y Co.	1.00
Grahame, Chas. C.	3.00
Hadlock, John	8.00
Hanson, Eli	2.00
Harrington, J. H.	2.75
Harris, J. F.	11.25
Hickory Broom Fibre Co.	16.50
Hill, Theodore	4.50
Hinds, L. R.	27.34
Holt, Samuel	50.61
Holt Bros. Mfg. Co.	3.90
Hoit, J. E.	45.90
Humphrey, Dodge & Co.	274.24
Huntley & Tenney	227.63
Hutchinson, E. B. Building Co.	74.34
Hubbard, F. K.	2.35
Hoass, Chas.	28.00
Jenness, Esther C.	3.00
Jenness, E. T.	3.00
Jenness, Geo. J.	9.80
Johnson, J. D. & Son	199.00
Johnson & Simpson,	178.00
Kelly, O. S. Co.	1.05
Kilburn, John C.	6.78

Knowlton, A. W.	3.50
Lamprey, J. H.	20.00
Lee Bros.	138.08
Lewis, John A.	52.00
Little, C. P.	40.00
Macguire, Robert J.	18.50
Massisson, Ellen D.	7.20
Marsh, H. O.	99.90
Martin, C. H. & Co.	37.49
Maxam, A. E.	31.50
Miner, N. E.	1.00
Morrill & Danforth	45.00
McShane, Jas. E.	85.50
N. E. Tel. & Tel.	.25
N. E. Granite works	113.13
Nelson & Durrell	1.40
Neller George	57.47
Noyes, Chas. H.	1.90
Paige, E. P.	165.69
Paige, John	5.70
Partridge, Simeon	3.70
Penacook Electric Light Co.	72.92
Prescott, Geo.	147.65
Proctor & Burt	5.00
Quimby, Wm. B.	2.42
Randall, E. H.	18.35
Richardson, P. A.	1.50
Rines, John E.	56.25
Robinson, Cyrus R.	20.00
Rolfe, C. M. & A. W.	3.00
Rowell & Plummer	11.20
Runnels, Francis	3.00
Rowell, J. H. & Co.	3,704.77
Saltmarsh, Albert	.40
Sargent, R. G.	14.60
Sanborn, S. G.	10.95
Sewer department	11.08
Smith, A. J.	3.00

Stevens & Duncklee	2 75
S. Paul's School	8.25
Stevens, C. H. & Co.	239.20
Stickney, Joseph	12 00
Stratton & Co,	11.90
Sturtevant, H. C & Son	384.32
Swain, O. F. & Co.	6.60
Tallant, Hugh	68.40
Tenney, John T.	3.75
Theobald, Geo. L.	50.00
Thompson, A. P.	7.00
Virgin, Fales P.	3.00
Whittredge Geo. B.	3 30
Woodworth & Co.	94.45
Wooster, G. M.	10.25
Wrought Iron Bridge Co.	712.28
Young, A. B. Mrs.	4.20
Total	\$34,994.25

FINANCIAL REPORT OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

General Maintenance and Repairs.

Appropriation	\$18,000.00
Transferred from permanent work	1,272.65
" " cleaning streets	302.29
" " catch basins	51.40
" " new concrete	278.93
	\$19,905.27

CENTRAL DISTRICT.

General Repairs.

Labor pay-rolls	\$3,803.07
" " sprinkling to camp ground	22.40
" " city teamsters	660.00
J. S. Dutton, rent	108.00

Concord Light & Power Co. gas	.60
Alfred Clarke, com. postage, freight etc.,	18.64
Ross W. Cate, shoeing horses	36.00
James E. McShane, shoeing horses	85.50
N. E. Telephone Co. service	.25
George L. Theobald, horse	50.00
Concord fire department horses	115.00
H. C. Sturtevant & Son grain and oil	249.29
L. F. Emery, hay	80.91
J. N. Abbott, hay	8.96
Samuel K. Gil, hay	46.86
Frank Coffin & Co., hay	8.68
C. P. Little, mowing	40.00
Robert J. Maguire, services	18.50
F. K. Hubbard, medicines	2.35
J. D. Johnson & Son, repairs. harnesses	
etc.,	199.00
Huntley & Tenney, repairs,	227.63
Humphrey Dodge Co., hardware	107.35
A. H. Britton & Co.,	23.06
A. E. Maxam, grade	31.50
John Hadlock, edges	8.00
Hutchinson Building Company, lumber	
and labor	31.83
Eyeless Tool Company, picks	14.38
Ames Plow Company, points	10.50
J. N. Abbott, sled	55.00
C. H. Martin & Company, paint, etc.	15.44
Hoit Brothers Manufacturing Co, piece oak	.15
P. A. Richardson, gravel	1.50
Frank Adams, gravel	82.50
J. Elizabeth Hoit, gravel	45.90
Concord L. & W. P. Co., lights	96.00
Concord Water Works, Water	5.00
Ola Anderson, stone	29.00
E. P. Paige, lumber	100.36
Alfred Clark, Com. office furniture	85.50
J. H. Lamprey, labor	20.00

J. H. Rowell & Co., repairing concrete	73.04	
Frank Coffin & Co. cement	13.80	
Good Roads Machinery Co., castings	1.00	
S. H. Davis & Co., odometer	10.00	
W. P. Ford & Co., plows, etc.	43.38	
H. O. Marsh & Co., coal	1.29	
J. H. Harrington, coal	2.75	
	<hr/>	\$6,684.81

Shade Trees.

Labor pay-rolls	177.72	
A. H. Britton & Co., axes	2.25	
	<hr/>	\$179.97

Bridges.

Labor pay-rolls	\$287.03	
Humphrey, Dodge & Co., hardware	4.70	
C. H. Martin & Co., paint, etc.	6.85	
Geo. Abbott, Jr.	97.82	
Nelson & Durrell, oil	1.40	
Geo. B. Whittredge, oil	3.30	
John Lewis, lighting bridge	52.00	
Stevens & Dunklee, lamp	.75	
J. H. Rowell & Co., repairing concrete	318.99	
A. H. Stevens & Co., lumber	239.20	
	<hr/>	\$1,012.04

Culverts.

Labor pay-rolls	\$73.60	
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Fences.

Labor pay-rolls	\$27.59	
Humphrey, Dodge Co., nails, etc.	.64	
Benj. Bilsborough, paint	4.20	
Ford & Kimball, fence posts	7.77	
Hutchinson Bld. Co., labor	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$43.20

Signs.

Labor pay-rolls,	28.10	
Hutchinson Building Co., signs	6.00	

CITY EXPENSES.

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Danforth. Forest and Morgan, signs	56.96	
R. S. Emery posts	19.04	
Holt Bros. Mfg. Co., posts	3.75	
Geo. Prescott, painting signs	147.65	
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		\$261.50

Repairing Macadam.

Labor pay-rolls	\$74.08	
Humphrey, Dodge Co., repairs	.18	
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		\$74.26

Winter Expense.

Labor pay-rolls	\$2,172.98	
Labor pay-rolls plows	160.00	
Humphrey, Dodge Co., shovels	8.45	
A. H. Britton & Co.	2.75	
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		\$2,344.18

Sanding.

Labor pay-rolls	\$490.62	
Joseph Stickney, rent of land	12.00	
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		\$502.62

Paving.

Labor pay-rolls	\$376.48	
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		\$376.48

Sidewalks and Crossings.

Labor pay-rolls, sidewalks	\$449.65	
Labor pay-rolls, crossings	14.92	
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		\$464.57

Watering Troughs and Drinking Fountains.

Labor pay-rolls	\$ 13.08	
Concord Water Works, water	137.50	
Goodhue & Milton, repairs	3.73	
A. H. Britton & Co., repairs	1.85	
E. H. Randall & Co., repairs	18.35	
Frank Coffin & Co., cement	2.30	
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		\$176.81

MILLVILLE DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay-rolls	\$1,706.09	
St. Paul's School, labor and gravel	5.70	
Chas. H. Noyes, "	1.90	
John Paige, "	5.70	
Mrs. E. D. Massison, "	7.20	
Peter Clark, "	23.60	
Woodbury Flanders Est., "	3.30	
Albert Saltmarsh, " . . . . .	.40	
Hutchinson Bld. Co., signs . . . . .	.72	
	<hr/>	\$1,754.61

Bridges.

Labor pay-rolls	\$371.93	
E. P. Paige, lumber	65.39	
N. E. Granite Works, grout	51.93	
Humphrey Dodge Co., bolts . . . . .	.57	
	<hr/>	\$489.82

Culverts.

Labor pay-rolls	89.33	
Sewer Dep't., pipe	11.08	
Humphrey, Dodge Co., pipe	53.82	
	<hr/>	\$154.23

Winter Expense.

Labor pay-rolls	\$267.09	
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PENACOOK DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay-rolls	\$880.71	
Wm. B. Quimby, labor	2.42	
N. S. Gale & Co., hardware	4.50	
Samuel G. Sanborn, blacksmithing	9.75	
Foote, Brown & Co., hardware	8.49	

CITY EXPENSES.

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R. G. Sargent, gravel	14.00	
Stratton & Co., sand	11.90	
	<u> </u>	\$932.37

Bridges.

Labor pay-rolls	\$2.66	
Penacook Electric Light Co., lights	72.92	
N. E. Miner, labor	1.00	
	<u> </u>	\$76.58

Shade Trees.

Labor pay-rolls	\$1.66	
	<u> </u>	\$1.66

Sidewalks and Crossings.

Labor pay-rolls, sidewalks	\$16.83	
“ “ crossings	2.16	
	<u> </u>	\$18.99

Watering Troughs.

Concord Water Works, water	\$40.00	
N. S. Gale & Co., hardware	.42	
C. M. & A. W. Rolfe, use of watering trough	3.00	
F. P. Colby, “ “ “	3.00	
	<u> </u>	\$46.42

Winter Expense.

Labor pay-rolls	\$512.08	
	<u> </u>	\$512.08

Sanding

Labor pay-rolls	\$107.96	
	<u> </u>	\$107.96

WEST CONCORD DISTRICT.

General Repairs.

Labor pay-rolls	\$237.12	
Simeon Partridge, sharpening picks	3.70	
	<u> </u>	\$240.82

Bridges and Culverts.

Labor pay-rolls	\$4.27	
	<u> </u>	\$4.27

Fences.

Labor pay-rolls	.	.	.	\$13.69	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., bolts	.			1.10	
C. H. Martin & Co., paint	.	.		5.35	
St. Paul's School, planing boards	.			2.55	
				<u> </u>	\$22.69

Macadamizing

Labor pay-rolls	.	.	.	\$129.11	
				<u> </u>	\$129.11

Sidewalks.

Labor pay-rolls	.	.	.	\$162.79	
				<u> </u>	\$162.79

Watering Troughs

Concord Water Works, water	.			\$40.00	
A. H. Britton & Co., hardware	.			.77	
J. M. Crossman, wrench	.	.		.75	
Goodhue & Milton, repairs	.	.		6.43	
				<u> </u>	\$47.95

Winter Expense.

Labor pay-rolls	.	.	.	\$144.01	
“ “ plows	.	.		30.00	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., pick handle				.60	
				<u> </u>	\$174.61

Sanding.

Labor pay-rolls	.	.		\$21.48	
				<u> </u>	\$21.48

LONG POND, NORTH DISTRICT.**Winter Expense.**

Labor pay-rolls	.	.	.	\$56.15	
				<u> </u>	\$56.15

NUMBER FOUR DISTRICT.**General Repairs.**

Labor pay-rolls	.	.	.	\$186.27	
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CITY EXPENSES.

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F. E. Dimond, cartridges etc.	6.45	
	<u> </u>	\$192.72

Culverts.

Labor pay-rolls	\$23.70	
	<u> </u>	\$23.70

Fences.

Labor pay-rolls	\$20.00	
F. E. Dimond posts etc.	6.85	
	<u> </u>	\$26.85

Winter Expense.

Labor pay-rolls	\$121.91	
	<u> </u>	\$121.91

HORSE HILL DISTRICT.

General Repairs.

Labor pay-rolls	\$58.35	
Eli Hanson, labor	2.00	
Samuel G. Sauborn, blacksmithing	1.20	
	<u> </u>	\$61.55

Winter Expenses.

Labor pay-rolls	\$31.75	
	<u> </u>	\$31.75

MAST YARD DISTRICT.

General Repairs.

Labor pay-rolls	\$71.55	
Frank R. Bennett, grade	8.00	
Francis Runnells, use watering trough	3.00	
	<u> </u>	\$82.55

Winter Expense.

Labor pay-rolls	\$16.65	
	<u> </u>	\$16.65

EAST CONCORD VILLAGE DISTRICT.

General Repairs.

Labor pay-rolls	\$302.02	
Fred Carter, lighting street lamp . .	10.00	
Mrs. A. B. Young, oil, etc. . . .	4.20	
C. H. Martin & Co., bronze	20.00	
	<hr/>	\$316.42

Culverts.

Labor pay-rolls	35.02	
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Sidewalks and Crossings,

Labor pay-rolls, sidewalks	8.55	
“ “ crossings	11.70	
	<hr/>	\$20.25

Watering Troughs.

C. R. Robinson, water for trough . .	20.00	
	<hr/>	\$20.00

Winter Expense.

Labor pay-rolls	113.17	
“ “ Plows	15.00	
	<hr/>	\$128.17

EAST CONCORD, INTERVALE DISTRICT.

General Repairs.

Labor pay-rolls	17.96	
C. C. Graham, use watering trough . .	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$20.96

Winter Expense.

Labor pay-rolls	56.86	
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MOUNTAIN DISTRICT.

General Repairs.

Labor pay-roll:	83.34	
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CITY EXPENSES.

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Winter Expense.

Labor pay-rolls	.	.	.	56.10	
				<u>56.10</u>	\$56.10

NORTH CONCORD DISTRICT.

General Repairs.

Labor pay-rolls	.	.	.	159.35	
Dennis Brodger, use watering trough	.			3.00	
				<u>162.35</u>	\$162.35

Bridges.

Labor pay-rolls	.	.	.	15.53	
John C. Kilburn, plank, etc.	.			6.78	
Hugh Tallant, plank	.	.	.	29.40	
				<u>51.71</u>	\$51.71

Winter Expense.

Labor pay-rolls	.	.	.	68.12	
				<u>68.12</u>	\$68.12

POTTER STREET DISTRICT.

General Repairs.

Labor pay-rolls	.	.	.	182.55	
John T. Tenney, use watering trough	.			3.00	
John T. Batchelder, labor and grade	.			13.54	
				<u>199.09</u>	\$199.09

Culverts.

O. F. Swain, stone	.	.	.	6.60	
				<u>6.60</u>	\$6.60

Winter Expense.

Labor pay-rolls	.	.	.	45.51	
Humphrey, Dodge Co., shovel	.			1.00	
				<u>46.51</u>	\$46.51

VIRGIN DISTRICT.

General Repairs.

Labor pay-rolls	.	.	.	63.80	
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CITY OF CONCORD.

F. P. Virgin, use watering trough	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$66.80
Winter Expense.		
Labor pay-rolls	81.46	
	<hr/>	\$81.46

EGYPT DISTRICT.

General Repairs.

Labor pay-rolls	152.05	
Geo. G. Jenness, gravel	9.80	
Esther C. Jenness, use watering trough	3.00	
E. T. Jenness	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$167.85
Winter Expense.		
Labor pay-rolls	97.91	
	<hr/>	\$97.91

HOT HOLE POND DISTRICT.

General Repairs.

Labor pay-rolls	18.10	
	<hr/>	\$18.10

Bridges.

Labor pay-rolls	48.53	
C. H. Abbott, bridge timber	1.00	
	<hr/>	\$49.53

Winter Expense.

Labor pay-rolls	18.93	
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SANBORN DISTRICT.

General Repairs.

Labor pay-rolls	44.85	
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CITY EXPENSES.

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Winter Expense.

Labor pay-rolls	65.50	
		<u>\$65.50</u>

PENACOOK INTERVALE DISTRICT.

General Repairs.

Labor pay-rolls	15.50	
Asa M. Gage, gravel	90	
Ai J. Smith, use watering trough	3.00	
		<u>\$19.40</u>

Winter Expense.

Labor pay-rolls	30.04	
		<u>\$30.04</u>
		<u>\$19,905.27</u>

CLEANING STREETS.

Appropriation	\$4,300.00
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CENTRAL DISTRICT.

Cleaning Streets.

Labor pay-rolls	\$2,332.37	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., hose etc.	11.25	
H. C. Sturtevant & Son, grain	36.05	
		<u>\$2,379.67</u>

Hand Cart.

Labor pay-rolls	\$262.66	
Chas. Hoass, hand cart	28.00	
Hickory Broom Fibre Co., brooms	16.50	
		<u>\$307.16</u>

Sweeping Pavements.

Labor pay-rolls	\$9.31	
Abbot Downing Co., refilling broom	25.00	
		<u>\$34.13</u>

Night Collection Ashes.

Labor pay-rolls, collection	\$370.60
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Labor pay-rolls leveling streets	228.53	
	<hr/>	\$599.13

Night Collection Paper.

Labor pay-rolls, collection	\$168.84	
" " burning paper	254.75	
Humphrey- Dodge Co., brick etc	3.22	
Frank Coffin & Co., cement	1.15	
Hutchinson Bld. Co., lumber	29.17	
	<hr/>	\$457.13

WEST CONCORD DISTRICT.

Cleaning Streets.

Labor pay-rolls	\$24.74	
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PENACOOK DISTRICT.

Cleaning Streets.

Labor pay-rolls	\$173.55	
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EAST CONCORD VILLAGE DISTRICT.

Cleaning Streets.

Labor pay-rolls	\$22.20	
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Transferred to General Maintenance		\$302.29
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		\$4,300.00

CATCH BASINS.

Appropriation	\$1,300.00	
Transferred from Sidewalks and Crossings	200.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,500.00

CENTRAL DISTRICT.

Cleaning Catch Basins,

Labor pay-rolls	\$578.30	
H. C. Sturtevant & Son, grain	21.70	
Proctor & Burt, rubber boots	5.00	
Stevens & Dunklee, ladles	2.00	
	<hr/>	\$607.00

Building and Repairing Catch Basins.

Labor pay-rolls	\$155.77	
Frank Coffin & Co., cement	20.80	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., pipe	48.01	
Concord Foundry Co., grates etc	132.60	
Rowell & Plummer, mason work	11.20	
Joseph Giddis, " "	27.14	
Samuel Holt, brick	50.61	
	<hr/>	\$446.13

WEST CONCORD DISTRICT.

Cleaning Catch Basins.

Labor pay-rolls	\$13.57	
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PENACOOK DISTRICT.

Cleaning Catch Basins.

Labor pay-rolls	\$52.97	
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Building Catch Basins.

Labor pay-rolls	\$151.56	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., pipe	17.94	
N. S. Gale & Co., "	26.71	
Concord Foundry Co., grates etc. ,	15.50	
John E. Rines, brick	56.25	
George Neller, mason work	57.47	

A. W. Knowlton, mason work	3.50	
	<u> </u>	\$328.93
Transferred to General Maintenance		51.40
		<u> </u>
		\$1,500.00

NEW CONCRETE.

Appropriation	\$2,000.00	
	<u> </u>	\$2,000.00

CENTRAL DISTRICT.

Labor pay-rolls	\$161.96	
J. H. Rowell & Co., new concrete	1,204.02	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., pipe	1.05	
Johnson & Simpson, edgestone	147.00	
	<u> </u>	\$1,514.03

PENACOOK DISTRICT.

E. L. Davis, teaming	\$3.00	
	<u> </u>	3.00
Transferred to catch basins		200.00
" " General Maintenance		278.93
Balance on deposit		4.04
		<u> </u>
		\$2,000.00

Repairing Concrete.

Appropriation	\$1,500.00	
	<u> </u>	\$1,500.00

CENTRAL DISTRICT.

Labor pay-rolls	\$78.33	
J. H. Rowell & Co., repairing concrete	1,419.96	
	<u> </u>	\$1,498.29
Balance on deposit		1.71
		<u> </u>
		\$1,500.00

SPRINKLING

Balance from 1897	\$461.49
Appropriation	3,500.00
	<u>\$3,961.49</u>

Sprinkling.

Labor pay-rolls	\$2,133.15
Concord Water Works, water	700.00
	<u>\$2,833.15</u>

Repairs, Sprinklers and Stand Pipes.

Labor pay-rolls	\$150.57
Goodhue & Milton, repairs	30.42
Sam'l Eastman & Co., coupling, etc.	52.00
Abbot-Downing Co., repairs	2.25
Huntley & Tenney	14.95
C. H. Martin & Co., paint, etc.	36.65
	<u>\$286.84</u>
Balance on deposit	841.50
	<u>\$3,961.49</u>

PERMANENT WORK.

Appropriation	\$6,500.00
	<u>\$6,500.00</u>

CENTRAL DISTRICT.

General Repairs.

Labor pay-rolls	\$67.44
Concord Water Works, water	6.00
Farrel Foundry and Machine Co., toggles	31.30
Humphrey-Dodge Co., packing, etc.	7.71
Climax Road Machine Co., crusher plates, etc.	49.14
Morrill & Danforth, insurance	45.00
Frank Coffin & Co., bag	.15
Goodhue & Milton, repairs	7.61

Cushman Electric Co.	6.85	
C. H. Martin & Co., oil, etc.	4.65	
L. F. Emery, hay	23.88	
Crosby Steam Guage and Valve Co., guage and and repairs	7.04	
O. S. Kelly Co., guage-cocks	1.05	
		<u>\$257.82</u>

Concreting on School Street.

Labor pay-rolls	\$143.38	
H. O. Marsh & Co., coal	5.50	
J. H. Rowell & Co., concrete	215.62	
		<u>\$364.50</u>

Concreting on No. Main Street, opposite Eagle Hotel.

Labor pay-rolls	\$148.11	
H. O. Marsh & Co., coal	13.85	
J. H. Rowell & Co., concrete	473.14	
C. H. Martin & Co., oil, etc.	.50	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., packing, etc.	1.35	
		<u>\$636.95</u>

Paving on Bridge Street.

Labor pay-rolls	\$391.62	
N. E. Granite Works, paving blocks	43.20	
		<u>\$434.82</u>

Culvert on Noyes Street.

Labor pay-rolls	\$177.90	
N. E. Granite Works, stone	12.00	
A. H. Britton & Co., drills, etc.	3.68	
		<u>\$193.58</u>

Macadamizing on North Main street.

Labor pay-rolls	\$1,965.54	
H. O. Marsh & Co., coal	79.26	
Hutchinson Bld. Co., stakes	3.12	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., packing, etc.,	5.30	
Hugh Tallant, stone	\$39.00	
C. H. Martin & Co., oil, etc.,	4.50	

H. C. Sturtevant & Son, grain	77.28	
		<u>\$2,174.00</u>

MILLVILLE DISTRICT.

Bridge at St. Paul's School.

Labor pay-rolls	\$172.86	
N. E. Granite works, stone	6.00	
Johnson & Simpson, stone	31.00	
Concord Foundry Co., pockets	6.51	
Wrought Iron Bridge Co., bridge	712.28	
Theodore Hill, lighting lantern	4.50	
Woodworth & Co., cement	94.45	
Lee Bros., fence	138.08	
		<u>\$1,165.68</u>
Transferred to general maintenance	\$1,272.65	
		<u>6,500.00</u>

Drinking Fountain, Penacook.

Appropriation	\$150.00	
Labor pay-rolls	\$13.19	
Concord Foundry Co., frames, etc.,	20.75	
John E. Rines, brick	7.50	
A. W. Knowlton, labor	5.95	
Goodhue & Milton, labor, fountain, etc.,	66.13	
N. S. Gale & Co., pipe, etc.,	4.46	
Foote, Brown & Co., cement	2.00	
		<u>\$119.98</u>
Balance on deposit	30.02	
		<u>\$150.00</u>

MOVING STREET RAILWAY.

Appropriation	\$1,000.00	
Labor pay-rolls	\$653.55	
C. M. & A. W. Rolfe, lumber	20.67	
Concord Street Ry., tickets	30.00	

N. E. Granite Works. stone	17.50	
John Swenson. stone	78.00	
Foote, Brown & Co., cement, etc.,	28.10	
E. L. Davis. drawing stone	80.85	
N. S. Gale & Co., pipe etc.,	9.30	
Ford & Kimball, fence posts	62.41	
William Symonds, labor	3.45	
J. C. Bowen, paint, etc.,	8.53	
Concord Axle Co., iron	.80	
		\$998.06
Balance on deposit.		1.94
		\$1,000.00

BRIDGES AT PENACOOK.

EXPENDED BY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

Iron Bridge on Main Street.

Labor pay-rolls	\$119.41	
Nutting & Hayden, points	3.34	
Concord Street Ry., tickets	20.00	
Frank Coffin & Co., cement	2.85	
Edward McShane, stone	7.50	
Woodworth & Co., cement	8.00	
Foote, Brown & Co., cement	8.56	
C. W. & A. W. Rolfe, lumber	3.33	
		\$172.99

Twin Bridge.

Labor pay-rolls	\$972.33	
R. G. Sargent, gravel	1.60	
Stratton & Co., sand and sacks	11.30	
Samuel G. Sanborn, blacksmithing	55.85	
Woodworth & Co., cement	93.50	
Frank Coffin & Co., cement	9.20	
Concord Street Ry., tickets	50.00	
Humphrey-Dodge Co., shims and wedges	.75	
C. M. & A. W. Rolfe, lumber	1.54	

CITY EXPENSES.

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Foote, Brown & Co., cement, etc.,	2.37
N. E. Granite Works, stone	176.84
John Swenson, stone	153.16
E. L. Davis, drawing stone	52.05
Concord Axle Co., labor, etc.,	3.59
C. H. Sanders, rubber boots	8.25
N. S. Gale & Co., axes etc.,	1.95
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	\$1,594.28
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	1,767.27

POLICE AND WATCH.

Pay-rolls	\$9,814.65
Adam's, Chancey	1.00
Abbott, George Jr.	1.00
Bickford, M. F.	246.03
Batchelder, & Co.	33.89
Chadwick, John	31.50
Chase, J. G.	1.30
Coleman, P. H.	9.75
Concord Coal Company	106.98
" Ice "	8.00
" L. & P. Co.	113.70
Concord L. & W. P. Co.	39.67
" Water works	28.00
Cutler, P. R.	6.00
Cutler & Co.	2.91
Danforth, C. C.	50.00
Dwight, J. E.	50.00
Davis, E. L.	33.93
Eastman, L.	.60
Emmons, H. A.	2.00
Evans D. & Co.	15.00
Farrand, J. C.	3.01
Fernald, W. J.	6.50
Fitch, A. P.	1.00
Hill, J. R. & Co.	9.15
Huntley & Tenney	10.05

Hutchinson, E. B. & Co.	7.90
Knox	31.50
Landon, F. W.	3.75
Leonard, A. & Co.	7.00
Lee Brothers	4.05
Locke, G. S.	4.00
Marsh, H. O.	176.24
Miller, John	1.70
Morrison, A. S.	2.75
McShane, J. E.	25.00
Nelson, N. C. & Co.	2.25
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	104.17
Penacook Electric Light Company	30.55
" Tel. Company	2.50
Sanborn, A. C.	6.20
Sanders, C. H.	108.00
Stevens & Duncklee	8.45
Silsby G. H. & Son	1.05
Thompson & Hoague	1.75
Wheeler Giles	50.00
	<hr/> \$11,204.43

PRINTING AND STATIONARY.

Abbott, J. B.	9.82
Buck, T. S.	2.96
Business Publishing Co.	1.00
Eastman, E. C.	14.59
Evans, Ira C.	307.08
Concord Evening Monitor	107.70
Independent Statesman	6.00
McMurphy, J. W.	17.50
Little, A. P.	2.10
N. H. Dem. Press	134.54
Rumford Printing Co.	1,595.83
Sanders, F. L.	18.06
Silsby, G. H. H. & Son	151.61

CITY EXPENSES.

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Smith, Chas. C.	2.19
Smith, R. H. Mfg. Co.	3.93
Tilden, E. M.	4.15
Postmaster, city	7.45
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	\$2,386.51

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Angell, E. R.	\$5.30
Berry, George A.	.50
Clark, E. A.	56.30
Coburn, J. H.	4.00
Concord L. & P. Co.	2.40
Day, A. K.	57.50
Duncklee, N. A.	18.00
Dutton, J. S.	108.00
Fernald, W. J.	10.00
Marsh, H. O.	3.12
Martin, C. H. & Co.,	3.93
Palmer, C. E.	800.00
" "	57.07
Pearson, E. N.	25.00
Robinson, Tom	3.50
Sullivan, D. W.	25.00
" "	8.50
Sullivan, D. D.	1.40
St. Johns, Fred	16.00
Theobald, Geo. L.	2.00
Woodworth, & Co.,	5.63

\$1,213.15

LEGAL EXPENSES.

Badger, B. E.	\$2.00
Sargent, Harry G.	28.10

\$30.10

DOG LICENSES.

Davis, E. L.	\$5.00
Dimond, G. H.	3.00
Sanborn, Daniel B.	15.00
Sanborn, John B.	7.00

 \$30.00
SCHOOLS.

Rundlett, L. J.	\$49,285.80
Abbott, Isaac N. Treas'r	4,474.96
Rolfe, Henry Treas'r	3,588.74

 \$57,349.50

Bonds —U. S. D.	\$15,000.00
Int.—U. S. D.	3,000.00
Int.—No. 20	30.00

 \$18,030.00

 \$75,379.50
PRECINCT.

Concord Light & Power Co.	\$1,387.00
Concord Land & Water Power Co.	
(Receivers of)	8,790.10

 \$10,173.10
CONCORD WATER WORKS.

Concord Water works	\$6,000.00
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 \$6,000.00
DRINKING FOUNTAIN PENAGOOK.

Pay-rolls	\$13.19
Concord Foundry Co.	20.75
Foote, Brown & Co.	2.00
Gale, N. S. & Co.	4.46
Goodhue & Milton	66.13
Knowlton, A. W.	5.95
Rines, John E.	7.50

 \$119.98

SALARIES.

Abbott, John B.	\$500.00
Ahern, James	388.00
Badger, Benj. E.	800.00
Bell, W. H. (est. of)	87.50
Cochran, J. A.	1.400
Cowley, W. A.	282.00
Crowther, Leslie H.	1.00
Dennett, George S.	396.00
Fifield, O. J.	309.00
Foster, George A.	29.08
Foote, Charles E.	30.00
French, S. L.	1.00
Hoit, George A.	10.00
Hood, Harry R.	200.00
Isabel, M. M.	11.00
Lee, John J.	291.00
Lyford, J. O.	500.00
Ladd, W. P.	1464.57
Paige, J. P.	85.00
Rolfe, Henry	25.00
Sargent, H. G.	500.00
Stevens, Edward A.	600.00
Sanborn, Harvey P.	60.00
Shepard, Joseph E.	396.00
Shurtleff, A. J.	10.00
Pay-rolls	6.89
Thayer, W. F.	250.00
Saltmarsh, Albert chairman	200.00
Underhill, Geo. F.	378.00
Weeks, Jonathan B.	298.00
Woodman, D. C.	348.00
Woodworth, Albert B.	1,000.00
Woodworth, Mary P. secretary	250.00
	<hr/> \$11,789.15

SEWERS.

Pay-rolls	\$2,656.63
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Britton, A. H. & Co.,90
Concord Foundry Co.,	12.52
“ Waterworks	31.00
Cushing, E. A.	14.25
Dow, Arthur	22.06
Dow, George A.	. . . . .	11.25
Dow, D. B.	. . . . .	4.00
Ford & Kimball	. . . . .	93.03
Giles, William	. . . . .	2.00
Globe Horse Shoeing	. . . . .	.75
Healey, Z. F.	. . . . .	2.00
Holt, Samuel	. . . . .	122.57
Humphrey- Dodge Co	. . . . .	262.10
Hutchinson, E. B. Bldg. Co.	. . . . .	19.25
Lee Bros.	. . . . .	3.72
Morrill, L.	. . . . .	2.50
Riford, W. L.	. . . . .	6.25
Robinson, Thomas	. . . . .	1.50
Roundy, A. S.	. . . . .	1.00
Rowell & Plummer	. . . . .	42.40
Sewell, George F.	. . . . .	3.25
Silva, Wm.	. . . . .	20.50
Sims, J.	. . . . .	1.00
Sturtevant, H. C. & Son	. . . . .	5.10
Theobald, Geo. L.	. . . . .	77.40
Thompson, W. A.	. . . . .	12.00
Thompson & Hoague	525.62
Upton, E. E.	25.00
Woodworth & Co.	63.10
Stevens, C. H. & Co.	14.00
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		\$4,058.46

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Pay-rolls	\$2,642.49
Abbott, Geo. Jr.	9.32
Appleton, D. & Co.	5.00

Boston Book Co.	58.42
Blanchard, Grace,	43.32
Britton, A. H. & Co.	345.37
Burleigh, N. B.	1.50
Carter, N. F.	2.25
Cleveland Pub. Library	5.00
Concord Light and Power Co.	113.10
Concord Coal Co.	186.66
" Water Works	10.00
Cunningham, W. B.	52.00
Darrah, W. M,	11.50
Eastman, E. C.	158.00
Eastman & Merrill	25.00
Estes & Lauriat	32.69
Evans, Ira C.	593.65
Gale, N. S. & Co.	52.00
Hammond, H. P.	3.00
Hayward, S.	6.00
Hellman-Taylor Co.	5.00
Hooper, H. E.	19.00
Hunt, W. E.	331.44
Hunt & Emerson	79.66
Illustrated American	4.00
Library Bureau	8.13
Littlefield, Geo. E.	31.05
Metcalf, H. H,	2.50
Morey, H. E.	5.00
Morrill & Danforth	62.50
Nature Study Pub. Co.	5.00
N. H. Democratic Press Co.	6.00
Popular Science News	2.00
Pingault, E.	2.00
Putnam, G. P. Sons	2.13
Republican Press Ass'n	6.00
Rumford Printing Co.	72.39
Sanders, F. L.	19.77
Samuels & Kimball	3.50

CITY OF CONCORD.

Shallis, Ira B.	3.00
Silsby, G. H. H. & Son	53.53
Stone, M. T.	3.60
Thompson & Hoague	4.15
Townes, S. D.	4.00
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	\$5,091.02

LIQUOR AGENCY.

Moses Ladd	\$600.00
" "	18.82
Adams, Taylor & Co.	883.41
Concord Coal Co.	18.72
" Light and Power Co.	5.10
Connor, Samuel H.	25.00
Fisher & Co.	55.90
George, F. H.	1.25
Graves, C. H. & Son	446.44
Stickney, J.	283.00
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	\$2,336.74

Decoration Day.

Battles, Frank, Q. M.	\$220.00
Brown, D. Arthur, Q. M.	75.00
Powell, Alvin C., Q. M.	50.00
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	\$345.00

Lighting Streets—Ward 1.

Emery, Alfred E., treasurer	\$1,300.00
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	\$1,300.00

CEMETERIES AND PARKS.

White Park.

Pay-rolls	\$2,298.89
Adams, G. F.	4.00
Abbott, Geo. Jr.	1.74
Bowditch, Jas. H.	10.00

Cate, R. W.	9.55
Chesley, George W.	226.95
Clifford, M. E.	2.80
Concord Water Works	10.00
Critchett, W. W.	22.50
Coffin, Frank & Co.	55.06
Crowley, Daniel	7.96
Danforth & Forrest	50.32
Ellwanger & Barry	52.30
Flanders, C. S.	30.00
Herbert, Alma J.	61.25
Humphrey, Dodge & Co.	17.16
Johnson, J. D. & Son	12.90
Kennebec Nursery Co.	4.50
King, William	1.95
Nelson, Carl J.	50.00
Morrison, E. T.	20.00
Richardson, W. H.	3.06
Riford, W. L.	1.91
Rumford Printing Co.	4.75
Sanborn, A. C.	4.20
Shady Hill Nursery	7.90
Thompson & Hoague	6.45
Thorne, John C.	2.75
Wilson, Wm. S.	1.75

 \$2,982.60

Rollins Park.

Pay-rolls	\$395.52
Abbott, George Jr.	7.87
Blaisdell, F. M.	15.00
Bowditch, Jas. H.	39.05
Chesley, George W.	58.70
Concord Water Works	6.00
Critchett, W. W.	7.50
Curtis, A. J.	6.80
Danforth & Forrest	.79
Flanders, C. S.	5.00

Goodhue & Milton	4.17	
Hutchinson, E. B. & Co.	45.91	
Kimball, W. G. C.	10.80	
Lee Bros.	3.26	
McQuesten, E. & Co.	2.45	
Rock, H. J.	2.55	
Thompson & Hoague	25.23	
	<hr/>	\$636.60

Penacook Park.

Pay-rolls	\$69.37	
Lindgren, H. B.	6.89	
Stevens, C. H. & Co.	4.55	
	<hr/>	\$80.81

Bradley Park.

Pay-rolls	\$54.50	
Concord Water Works	3.00	
Thompson & Hoague	5.75	
Critchett, M. B.	15.00	
	<hr/>	\$78.25

White Park—Purchase.

White, Benj. C., trustee	\$1,400 00	
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Blossom Hill Cemetery.

Pay-rolls	\$4,562.72	
Barker, T. H.	11.25	
Benedict, G. J.	10.00	
Coburn, J. H.	66.00	
Colby, W. M.	77.39	
Concord Ice Co.	40.00	
Concord Water Works	80.00	
Dickerman, Geo. O.	27.15	
Holt Bros. Mfg. Co.	4.00	
Hoyt, J. E.	3.20	
Humphrey-Dodge Co.	37.17	
Martin, C. H. & Co.	3.55	
Main, George	20.40	

Moulton, E. A.	27.57	
Randall, E. H.	29.83	
Riford, W. L.	9.00	
Sanders, Frank L.	3.75	
Scott, F. W. & Co.	50.49	
Swain, C. F. & Co.	3.33	
Thayer, W. F., treasurer	25.00	
Theobald, G. L.	45.13	
Thompson & Hoague	11.35	
Wilson, W. S.	51.05	
Thayer, W. F., treas. acc't permanent fund	584.84	
		\$5,784.17
Blossom Hill Cemetery—Addition.		
Bradley, Moses H., trustee	\$5,000.00	
		\$5,000.00

The treasurer of the cemetery commission accounts for funds coming into his hands as follows:

Receipts.

Received from sale of lots and grading	\$1,974.93
Received from burials, care of lots, etc:	
A. P. Turner, grading and burial	\$7.00
James Dodge, est. burial	3.00
S. S. Kimball, burial	3.00
Glenville Reynolds, burial	3.00
C. S. West, burial	2.00
L. H. James, burial	8.00
Mrs. G. L. Lovejoy, care	2.00
C. H. Noyes, care	1.50
Daniel Wyman, care and burial	1.50
S. S. French, care	1.00
George H. Hammond, burial	4.00
C. H. Shute, care	2.00
S. F. Patterson, care	2.00
J. T. Gordon, care	10.00
Frank Adams, burial	3.00
William Ray, care	1.25

George H. Emery, care	10.00
Emma Cannire, burial	3.00
Mrs. G. A. Goodwin's est., care	1.50
John H. Teel, care	3.00
Oliver Ballou, care	3.00
F. B. Flanders, care	2.00
Newton child, burial	.50
John B. Palmer, care	2.00
Mrs. Hardy, plants	1.00
J. A. Moore, care	1.50
George H. Heath, care	1.00
Kimball Flanders, care	1.00
Stone posts sold	1.50
F. H. Crapo and others, care	3.00
Fred A. Carr, care	2.00
Charles H. Prescott, care	1.00
Woodbridge Odlius' estate, burial	4.00
Henry M. Sinclair's estate, burial	9.00
John H. Albin, care	2.00
L. Cole, burial	3.00
H. A. Kimball, care	1.50
John Swenson, care and repairs	2.00
John Allison, care	1.50
Mrs. J. H. Lane, care	1.50
Mrs. Mary E. Noyes' estate, use of tomb	1.00
Geo. H. Mitchell, care	2.00
Mrs. George H. Smith, care	1.00
Posts sold	2.00
Mrs. C. M. Dufur, burial	3.00
E. E. Plummer, Burial	\$1.00
Isaac N. Abbott, Use of tomb	1.00
James F. Ward, Care	1.50
D. M. Spline, Foundation	4.00
Sidney Upham, Care	1.50
Charles W. Ash, Plants and Care	4.00
George A. Rollins, Burial	3.00
George L. Lincoln, Labor	1.50
Mrs. W. H. Hodge, Burial and Repairs	6.00

Gertrude M. Foss, Burial	2.50
E. A. Moulton, Labor	2.00
G. D. Reynolds, Foundation	4.00
G. W. Foster, Use of tomb	1.00
Gordon & Jenkins, Burial	8.00
G. W. & G. E. Hall, Care	1.00
E. S. Nutter's Est., Burial	8.00
S. D. Brook's Est., "	3.00
Mrs. A. B. Chase's, Est. Burial	3.00
George H. Wilkins, Burial	10.00
S. D. Crockett's Est., Burial	3.00
Home for the Aged, Burial	3.00
George Prescott, Repairs	4 50
George W. Waters, burial	1.00
Samuel Butterfield, burial	8.00
Mrs. Lowell Brown, care	2.50
Mrs. W. B. Stetson, care	1.50
H. E. Jewell, burial	3.00
J. E. Clifford burial	50
A. B. Carter, care	3.00
Plants sold . . . . .	.50
Mr. Nelson, repairs . . . . .	.75
G. B. Johnson, repairs	2.00
H. W. Greenough, care	2.00
Charles W. Ash, burial	1.00
Mrs. Warren Claik, care	2.00
George G. Hatch, care	2.00
E. W. Robinson, repairs	8.00
Hiram G. Carter, burial	3.00
Fred Nyquist single grave, etc.	6.00
Rumford Lodge, I. O. O. F. trimming grave	5.00
Fred W. Bordman, care	1.50
W. P. Fellows, burial and care	5.00
W. H. Horner, care	1.25
Mrs. C. J. Whitney, care	1.00
Sturtevant Post. G. A. R. care	5.00
Mrs. Helen F. French, burial	3.00
Mrs. Loran Clough, care	1.50

Benj. F. Virgin, care	1.50
Nelson Abbott, care	1.00
Mrs. E. Dow, care	1.50
H. B. Bartlett, care	1.00
S. J. Leaver, care	2.00
S. C. Eastman, care	1.00
Geo. H. Whitman, care	1.00
Henry E. Conant, care	1.50
J. B. Hussey, care	1.50
E. B. Hutchinson, care and plants	6.00
Jonathan Brown, care	2.00
O. Ballou, care	1.50
C. M. Brown, care	1.00
Labor, care	1.00
W. M. Chase	2.00
John C. French, care	.75
D. B. Corser, care	4.50
Alba Woods, care	2.00
Mrs. J. Y. Mugridge, care	2.00
Messrs. Ordway & Sedgely, care	2.00
Mrs. J. C. Ordway, care	1.00
J. H. Albin, care	2.00
C. J. Smith, care	2.00
Merrimack county, burial	3.00
C. P. Bancroft, care	2.00
T. W. Young's est. care.	1.50
E. H. Randall, care	1.50
J. C. Eaton, care and repairs	2.00
C. S. Mellen, care	5.00
Mrs. J. B. Coleman, care	1.00
S. R. Chandler, care and repairs	3.50
J. W. Dunklee, care	1.00
Fred U. Lane, care	1.50
Mrs. J. C. Shaw, care	2.00
Lenna Ordway, care and repairs	2.25
D. W. Hobbs, care	1.50
Mrs. W. B. Wright, care	1.00
Mrs. J. E. Gage, burial	1.00

D. E. Everett, grading	5.00
Elwin L. F. Lull, single grade	5.00
Mrs. F. Booth, bulbs and labor	.50
H. M. Pettingill, care	2.00
Libby, labor	.25
A. P. Shurburne, bulbs	.25
Jane Harris' est. burial	3.00
C H. Jones, care	1.00
Henry Robinson, care	2.00
T. J. Carpenter, care	1.00
Fred A. Johnson, care	2.00
Mrs. Charlotte Merrill, care	2.00
Underhill Bros. care	2.00
J. C. Badger, care	2.00
N. H. Shattuck, care	1.50
F. P. Mace, care	2.00
Vase sold	.20
C. S. Kelley, repairs	1.00
Mrs. G. S. Foster, care and repairs	5.75
A. P. Carpenters' estate, repairs	3.00
B. S. Rolfe, care	1.50
H. A. Manns' estate, burial and care	4.00
W. E. Hunt, burial	6.00
C. T. Summers, removals	5.00
C. V. Dudley, care	2.00
Dudley & Locke, "	1.50
Mr Cole, use of tomb,	1.00
C. P. Virgin, care	2.00
Strong & Locke, plants and care	2.50
F. O. Nudd's, Est. burial	3.00
Warren Hooker's Est. burial	3.00
Mrs. Jane R. Sanborn's Est., burial	3.00
" " " " " repairs	1.00
Harlan A. Flanders, care	1.50
Calvin Merrill, burial	3.00
Mr. Dufur, repairs	5.00
Mrs. John Abbott's Est. burial	8.00
W. Scott Nelson burial	3.00

Mr. Billings, burial	3.00
Stevens & Duncklee, care	4.00
Fred Brown, single grave and burial	8.00
Orrin Whidden, foundation	8.00
Mrs. Joseph Grover's Est., burial	3.50
Francis Ketley, burial	3.00
Harry R. Glover's Est., burial	3.00
Prentiss M. Kent, care	2.00
Fred B. Powell, burial	1.00
Mrs. Joseph Sargent, care	1.50
Vases sold . . . . .	.40
Mr. Ramsey (Sherburne lot)	5.00
Mrs E. C. Bixby, care	2.00
Frank W. Landburg, single grave and burial	6.00
Boston & Maine R. R. (McPhee) single grave and burial	8.00
A. C. Ferrin's Est. burial	10.00
Mrs. M. E. Burnside, care	2.00
Mrs. W. E. Rich, care	3.00
C. H. Smith, burial	3.00
Henry O. Martin, burial	3.00
J. E. Rand, burial	3.50
Mrs. P. B. Cogswell, burial	6.00
C. A. Burroughs, single grave	5.00
Mrs. J. Titcomb, care . . . . .	.75
Miss F. M. James, Est. burial	8.00
Mr. Brown, burial . . . . .	.50
C. P. Tucker, care and repairs	3.50
Miss Collins, burial . . . . .	.50
Miss Ella Sturtevant, care	1.00
Alonzo Potter, grave and burial	1.50
Mrs. C. P. Blanchard's Est., burial	3.00
Charles Libby, burial	3.00
L. D. Brown's lot, Foundation	4.50
D. W. Waldron's Est., burial	8.00
A. J. Shurtleff, burial	3.00
Rev. S. Curtis Est., care	4.00
Mary D. Cole's, Est., burial	3.00

Mrs. Georgie Barnes, care	1.00
Mrs. F. Mowely's Est., burial	8.00
Charles L. Jackman, burial	8.00
J. Frank Hoit's Est., burial	8.00
D. E. Everett, burial	3.00
Mrs. A. N. Nichol's Est., burial	4.00
Mrs. A. S. Busre, care	1.00
Charles B. Clarke, burial	3.00
George H. Russ, care	3.00
Mrs. L. H. Clough, care	4.00
N. H. Asylum for insane, burial	3.00
F. E. Brown, care	1.50
S. S. Kimbal, care	2.50
Home for the Aged, burial	3.00
Mrs. F. S. Crawford, removal	7.00
J. T. Gordon, care	5.00
W. S. Baker, burial	3.50
Daniel Holden, care	2.00
Mrs. D. R. Waldron, burial	1.00
J. E. Randlett, care	1.50
John H. Hill, burial	3.50
William Badger, care	2.00
F. K. Jones, care	3.00
Mrs. G. F. Page, care	1.00
Mrs. T. H. Ford, care	2.50
Mrs. H. E. Chandler, care	1.50
Mrs. A. S. Marshall, care	2.00
Mrs. C. L. George, care and plants	6.00
P. H. Emerson, care	1.50
Mrs. J. M. Stewart, care and plants	6.00
J. J. Wyman, care	1.50
Miss M. Woods, care	2.00
Mrs. F. B. Underhill, care	2.00
Mrs. L. J. Trask, care	1.50
Mrs. George E. Jenks, care	2.00
Miss Clara Edgerly, care and repairs	2.00
Mrs. A. A. Currier, care	1.50
Henry Rowell, care	2.00

J. F. Webster, care	1.50
E. E. Brown, "	1.50
Geo. H. Marston, care	2.00
Mrs. F. R. Butterfield, burial	3.00
Miss Sarah Sanborn, care	.75
Samuel K. Gill, "	2.00
Dr. E. Morrill, care	1.00
Mrs. C. L. Eastman, care	2.00
Mrs. T. A. Freeman, care	1.50
Calvin C. Webster, care	2.00
Mrs. A. Bunker, "	1.50
Geo. H. Emery, "	2.75
J. R. H. Davis, care and repairs	2.00
W. E. Chandler, care and plants	6.00
Mrs. J. L. Pickering, care	2.00
J. H. Lamprey, care	1.00
Mrs. William Smith, care	1.00
J. B. Green, care	1.50
Mrs. F. E. Cogswell, care	1.50
F. J. Batchelder, care	1.50
Mrs. G. Bullock, care	1.00
W. S. Moore, repairs	1.50
H. A. Brown, care	1.50
Mrs. G. H. H. Silsby, care	2.00
L. S. Carroll, care	2.00
Charles Barker, care	1.50
Mrs. Hevenor, care and repairs	2.25
W. R. Tuttle, burial	3.00
Jos. T. Sleeper repairs and care,	2.00
Mrs. D. J. Abbott, "	2.00
A. P. Sherburne, "	1.50
S. F. Morrill, "	3.00
Frank Coffin, "	2.00
S. Blancy, "	2.00
N. G. Carr, "	2.00
Fitch & Colby, "	2.50
Frank L. Sanders, "	2.00
L. A. Smith, "	2.00

A. T. Whittemore, repairs and care	1.00
Geo. L. Stratton, " "	3.00
Mrs. A. C. Heath, " "	2.00
Mrs. R. Burt, " "	2.50
Geo. L. Brown, " "	2.00
Mrs. John Connell, " "	2.00
R. F. Robinson, " "	2.00
Rev. E. O. Jameson, " "	2.75
Mrs. W. Simpson, burial	3.00
Batchelder Bros. care	2.50
James G. Leighton, " "	1.00
Benj. Couch, " "	2.00
E. N. Shepard, " "	1.50
W. F. Thayer, " "	4.00
Miss M. Martin, " "	1.75
J. E. Rand, " "	1.00
Geo. A. Berry, " "	1.50
Chas. F. Batchelder, " "	2.00
Jos. A. Cochran, " "	2.00
Mrs. G. L. Nutter, " "	2.00
John P. Nutter, repairs and care	1.50
Mrs. H. E. Perkins, " "	2.00
W. P. Ford, " "	1.00
Mrs. A. S. White, " "	25.00
Geo. W. Dowe, " "	5.00
B. G. Carter, " "	1.50
Mrs. J. M. Jones, " "	1.50
Grass sold,	10.00
G. B. Emmons, care	2.00
C. E. Palmer, " "	1.25
Franklin Mosley, " "	2.50
F. H. Locke, " "	1.00
C. L. Gilmore, " "	2.00
Mrs. R. M. Morgan, " "	2.00
Mrs. Dana N. Allen, " "	4.00
Mrs. E. J. Howarth, care	2.00
E. W. Brooks, burial	3.00
C. W. Clarke, care	1.00

A. J. Souza, care	1.50
Miss L. M. Poore, care	1.00
Charles O. Stearns, care	5.00
Mrs. J. A. West, care	2.00
Mrs. O. S. Snell, "	1.00
Henry C. Brown, care	2.00
Mrs. A. Poore, care	2.00
Harry D. Hammond, repairs and burial	2.75
Nathan Mansur, burial	3.00
George W. Mitchell, burial	3.00
H. P. Rolfe, burial	8.00
Herman Chase, burial	3.00
George N. Greeley, burial	3.00
W. H. Hurd, burial	3.00
Mrs. J. H. Dearborn, repairs and burial	3.00
John W. Drew, burial	3.00
Henry McFarland, burial	3.00
John G. Peterson, burial . . . .	.50
J. Stevens Abbott Est., care and plants	17.00
Joseph Palmer's Est., care	2.00
H. C. Sturtevant, care	1.50
Rev. C. W. Bradlee, care	1.50
Mrs. George H. Adams, care	2.00
Mrs. J. A. Goodwin's Est., care	1.50
W. A. Chesley, care	2.75
Seth R. Dole, care	1.00
William B. Durgin, care	3.00
Charles A. Dole, care	2.50
Joshua Lane, care	3.00
George F. Buswell, care	2.00
E. C. Eastman, "	2.00
H. E. Jewell, care	1.50
John M. Hill, repairs and care	13.00
W. H. Opie, burial	3.00
W. D. Thompson, care	1.50
Mrs. J. E. Hutchins, care	2.00
George F. Lang, burial	3.00
Amos Blanchard, care	2.00

Mrs. J. H. Chase, plants and care	6.25
Mrs. J. B. Sanborn, care	1.50
F. H. Clement, care	1.00
H. W. Marcy (Jackson lot), shrubs and care	3.75
Mrs. E. H. Greeley, care	3.00
G. B. Buzzell, care	1.00
Miss P. Eaton, "	1.00
Mrs. J. Neville, care	1.00
" Huntley, care	1.50
" E. Adams, care	2.00
Hutchins & Schutz lots	10.50
N. H. Asylum for Insane (Kent lot) care	3.00
Mrs. S. A. Holt, care	5.00
J. H. Gallinger, care	2.00
P. S. Smith, care	1.50
Jennie H. Mack, removal	3.00
J. W. Wardwell, care	2.00
C. A. Lockerty, care	1.50
Miss Abbie Morse, care	1.00
Mr. Morse, burial	3.00
Mrs. S. Edmunds, care	1.00
" Donovan, Plants and care	3.00
H. A. Church, care	2.00
G. D. B. Prescott, care	1.00
Benj. Bilsborough, care	1.00
Mrs. E. G. Carter, care	1.50
L. S. Packard, care	1.75
Mrs. M. A. Abbott, care	1.00
Mrs. W. Emerson, repairs and care	4.50
Mrs. Geo. E. Todd, care	3.00
Mrs. S. Webster, care	1.50
D. G. Lowell, care	1.00
W. P. Leighton, care	1.75
Cyrus Sargent, care	1.75
Mrs. Roxanna Adams, care	4.00
Edson J. Hill, care	9.00
Chas. H. Joy, care	1.50
Mrs. H. J. Crippen, Plants and care	6.00

Mrs. C. H. Ordway, care	1.00
Mary N. Perley, care	3.00

 \$1,100.60

INCOME FROM TRUST FUNDS.

Sarah M. K. Adams	\$21.00
Mary B. Allison	1.50
Alonzo Atherton	1.50
Abbie L. Sanborn Bailey,	3.00
Matilda Benson	1.25
Ellen C. Bixby	3.25
James D. Blaisdell	2.00
Nathaniel Bouton	8.25
Mary N. P. Buntin	5.00
Harriet W. Butters	2.75
Benjamin F. Caldwell	16.80
Nathan F. Carter	3.00
Samuel M. Chesley	3.00
Caroline Clark	2.75
Frederick Clough	2.00
Mrs. N. P. Clough	2.00
Amos L. Colburn	1.25
Mrs. Josiah Cooper	1.50
Mary Crow	4.00
Silas Curtis	1.50
Cordelia A. Danforth	2.50
Charles S. Danforth	1.50
Stephen B. Eaton	1.50
Lydia F. Edgerly	3.00
Georgiana P. Ela	3.00
Lydia A. Farley	2.00
Mary N. Farnum	3.00
Alvah C. Ferrin	1.00
George G. Fogg	3.00
Asa Fowler	17.00
John D. Gale	6.00
John Gear	1.50
George A. Glover and C. A. Osgood	1.50
Hannah A. and Fanny A. Goss	2.00

Betsey Hadley	3.50
George M. Harding	1.50
Mary D. Hart	11.25
Sarah E. Irish	3.00
John and Benjamin A. Kimball	6.00
Edward L. Knowlton	14.00
J. L. Lincoln	1.00
J. W. and E. J. Little	4.00
John McCauley	2.00
Greenough and Evarts McQuesten	3.00
James McQuesten	7.00
Henry A. Mann	1.00
H. W. and H. O. Matthews	2.50
J. B. Merrill	3.00
S. F. Merrill	3.00
Charles Moody	2.00
Mrs. C. H. Newhall	3.00
Eliphalet S. Nutter	3.00
Woodbridge Odlin	1.50
Eugene A. Ordway	1.75
Cyrus W. Paige	3.00
Hannah E. Phipps	2.50
W. H. Pitman	3.00
S. Lizzie Pixley	3.50
George L. Reed	2.25
Judith A. Richardson	3.00
E. H. Rollins	5.00
Moses W. Russell	3.00
Jonathan Sanborn	3.00
John B. Sargent	2.50
Jonathan E. Sargent	1.75
Mary W. Smith	1.50
Hattie R. Southmaid	2.25
Thomas Stewart	2.50
Hiram B. Tibbitts	1.50
John C. Thorne	3.00
Pliny Tidd	3.00
Eliza W. Upham	4.50

Mary E. Walker	5.50
George F. Whittredge	3.00
Mary Williams	1.50
Robert Woodruff	6.50
E. W. Woodward	3.00
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	\$283.05
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	\$3,358.58

Old North Cemetery.

Pay-rolls	\$352.31
Britton, A. H. & Co.	6.16
Concord Water Works	10.00
Danforth & Forrest	5 58
Little, Caleb P.	12.00
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	\$386.05

The treasurer of the Cemetery Commission accounts for funds coming into his hands as follows:

RECEIPTS.

Ira Evans, burial	\$8.00
Thomas W. Sanborn's est., repairs and burial,	4.00
Mrs. H. S. Bean's estate	3.00
John H. Ballard, repairs	.50
Mrs. R. N. Corning's estate, burial	8.00
James A. Johnson	3.00
Mrs. J. E. Stevens' estate	5.00
Iron sold	2.31
Levi Lamprey, burial	3.00
Gordon & Jenkins, removals	5.00
C. A. Hardy, care	2.00
Frank R. Elliott, burial	1.00
Walter Gibson's estate, burial	3.00
James W. Dwyer's estate	3.00
James Morrill's estate,	3.00
Mrs. Ella R. Munsey, repairs	3.00
W. W. Taylor, removal	1.00
Mrs. George E. Jenks, removal	5.00
Mr. Johnson, loam	.50
Mrs. F. C. Edmunds' estate, burial	3.00

CITY EXPENSES.

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George N. Ash	burial	1.50
Dr. A. H. Robinson	"	3.50
Mrs. E. L. Hall	"	3.00
A. A. Woodward,	"	3.00
Levi Lamprey, repairs		3.00
J. F. Webster, care		1.00
Mrs. S. F. Cushing, care and repairs		2.00
J. E. Hoyt, M. D., labor		1.00
John F. Wilson, care		1.00
Mrs. N. Carter, "		1.50
Joseph Stickney, "		5.00
Miss Hopkins' lot	"	1.00
C. H. Edmunds' estate, burial		3.00
Mrs. George E. Todd, repairs		1.00

 \$95.81

Income From Trust Funds.

William Abbott	\$4.00
Timothy K. Blaisdell	4.00
John F. Chaffin	1.50
Theodore French	3.50
Harvey J. Gilbert	1.00
William T. Locke	4.00
Samuel and David L. Morrill	4.00
True Osgood	3.00
Mrs. E. A. Pecker	5.50
Hiram Richardson	13.00
Nathan Stickney	2.00
Abigail Sweetser	5.00
Timothy and Abigail B. Walker	7.00
Paul Wentworth	5.00

 \$62.50

 \$158.31

West Concord Cemetery.

Pay-rolls (city treasurer)	\$87 63
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 \$87.63

Millville Cemetery.

Abbott, Isaac N., treasurer	50.00
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 \$50.00

Pine Grove Cemetery.

French, Scott, treasurer . . .	\$25.00	
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ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

Pay-rolls	\$2,511.82	
Concord Light & Power Co.	1.05	
Chase, J. G., Agt.	1.00	
Dunklee, N. A.	71.00	
Dutton, J. S.	204.00	
Fernald, W. J.	2.00	
Globe Horse Shoeing Co.,	1.90	
Gurley, W. & L. E.	1.00	
Hanchay, E. B. . . . .	.50	
Howe, W. B.	98.81	
Hutchinson, E. B. Bld'g Co.	21.00	
Larkin, J. C.	2.00	
Lee Bros. . . . .	.69	
Saltman, E. G.	66.64	
Thompson & Hoague . . . . .	.65	
Wilson, George W.	2.45	
	<hr/>	\$2,986.51

WEST CONCORD SEWERAGE PRECINCT.

Pay-rolls	\$387.33	
Caldbeck, John . . . . .	.75	
Crossman, J. M. . . . .	.20	
Ford & Kimball	54.81	
Holt, Samuel	58.00	
Humphrey-Dodge Co.	121.90	
Parmenter & Co. . . . .	.60	
Partridge, C. O.	1.20	
Riford, W. L.	1.75	
Rowell & Plummer	16.40	
Thebald, Geo. L.	8.70	
Thompson & Hoague	241.19	

CITY EXPENSES.

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Woodworth & Co.	19.55	
		\$912.38
Interest		680 00
City Treasurer		500.00
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		\$2,092.38

STREET SPRINKLING.

City treasurer	\$2,283.72	
Abbott Downing Co.	2.25	
Concord Water Works	700.00	
Eastman, Samuel	52.00	
Goodhue & Milton	30.42	
Huntley & Tenney	14.95	
Martin C. H. & Co.	36.65	
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EAST CONCORD SEWER PRECINCT.

Frye, John E.	\$12.00	
City treasurer	100.00	
Interest	70.00	
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SOUTH END SEWER.

Fellows, Lyman R. & Son	\$919.25	
Simons, J.	1.00	
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PENACOOK SEWERAGE PRECINCT.

Baty Isaac	1.60	
Coburn, J. A.	4.23	
Concord Axle Co.	1.80	
“ Foundry Co.	11.50	
“ Water Works	8.95	
Cunningham, W. B.	5.45	

Davis, E. L.	7.35
Ellsworth, C. J.	4.10
Farrand, J. C.	.14
Fisherville Saw Co.	1.75
Foote, Brown & Co.	16.44
Ford & Kimball	20.50
Gale, N. S. & Co.	46.43
Holt, F. B.	.40
Knowlton, A. W.	6.12
Locke, G. S.	.20
Rines, John E.	5.50
Rolfe, C. M. & A. W.	32.70
Sargent & Co.	.40
Sanborn, S. G.	8.10
Sanders, C. H.	535.07
Symonds Table Co.	.20
Thompson & Hoague	20.40
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	\$739.33
City Treasurer	500.00
Interest	940.00
Bonds	5,000.00
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	\$7,179.33

OPEN AIR CONCERTS.

Nevers' Third Regiment Band	\$300.00
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POLICE STATION, PENACOOK.

Moran, Ellen A.	\$900.00
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HOSPITAL, MARGARET PILLSBURY.

Thayer, W. F. Treas'r	\$2,000.00
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BRIDGES PENACOOK.

Pay-rolls	\$1,091.74
Coffin, Frank & Co.	12.05

Colby J. A.	55.00
Concord Axle Co.	3.59
" street railroad	70.00
Davis, E. L.	52.05
Foote, Brown & Co.	10.93
Gale, N. S. & Co.	1.95
Howe, W. B.	33.20
Humphrey-Dodge Co.	.75
McShane, E.	7.50
New England Granite works	176.84
Nutting & Hayden	3.34
Rolfe, C. M. & A. W.	4.87
Rowell, J. H.	3.90
Sanborn, S. G.	55.85
Sanders, C. H.	8.25
Sargent, R. G.	1.60
Stratton & Co.	11.30
Swenson, John	153.16
Woodworth & Co.	101.50

\$1,859.37

CONCORD WATER WORKS.

City treasurer	\$5,803.71
Abbott, Geo. Jr.	97.45
Abbott-Downing Co.	125.00
Adams, Chancey	10.00
Batchelder & Co.	16.69
Belisle, Jacob	40.60
Bernidine, Henry	1.50
Bilsborough, Benj.	14.30
Boisvert, Alex	30.00
Boston & Maine R. R.	1,689.52
Cate, R. W.	21.45
Chadwick Lead Works	470.44
Bradley, F. W.	13.00
Brown, Cavis G.	21.80
Builders Iron Foundry	30.34

Chambers, John P.	18.00
Chapman Valve Manufacturing Co.	4.14
Chase & Martin	25.00
Chesterton, A. W.	20.03
Clifford, R. F.	10.33
Coburn, J. H.	35.50
Cochran, Alice G.	600.00
Coffin Valve Co.	9.75
Concord Foundry Co.	3.78
" Light & Power Co.	23.25
Cushman Electric Co.	1.40
Cunningham, J. H.	27.48
Crowell, H. H.	51.87
Day, Arthur N.	36.78
Deckerman & Co.	15.00
Dodge J. H. & Co.	54.00
Drummond, M. J. & Co.	5,716.29
Dyer, N. J.	10 00
Duffy, Michael	7.00
Eastman & Merrill	32.50
Engineering dept. city	1.75
Engineering News	5.00
Fitch, A. P.	1.25
French, J. C. & Son	9.50
Globe H. S. Shop	86.22
Goodhue & Milton	17.69
Gould, Fred	7.50
Hastings, V. C.	1,867.96
Hodge E. & Co.	26.16
Holt Bros. Mfg. Co.	1.50
Humphrey-Dodge Co.	70.44
Hutchinson, E. B. Bldg. Co.	42.81
Jackman & Lang	25.00
Johnson J. D. & Son	20.15
Knowlton Packing Co.	8.75
Lapierre E.	7.00
Locke Regulator Co.	4.25
Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co.	467.87

Lynn Electric Co.	4.60
Madigan, T. H. Jr.	91.10
Marsh H. O.	21.00
Martin C. H. & Co.	10.32
Mueller H. Mfg. Co.	23 00
National Meter Co.	1,003.55
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	124.70
Phillips & Saunders	3.00
Putney, C. H. coll'r	47.20
Putnam machine works	5.00
Randall, E. H.	2.59
Richardson, O. F. & Son	56.03
Rowell, H. A.	6.70
Rowell, J. H. & Co.	37.00
Rowell & Plummer	143.85
Rumford Printing Co.	107.25
Sanborn, A. C.	13.80
Sanborn, S. G.	24.00
Sanders, F. D.	23.50
Sargent, H. G.	14.25
Silsby G. H. H. & Son	28.56
Stevens C. H. & Co.	9.26
Stewart, J. M. Sons & Co.	54.00
Stillings, F. A.	20.00
Stoughton Rubber Co.	21.60
Stratton & Co.	1 75
Tarantino, Alphonse	1.75
Theobald Geo. L.	132.02
Thompson & Hoague	66.70
Thompson Meter Co.	184.80
Thorne, John C.	19 08
Waldo Bros.	5.50
Walworth Mfg. Co.	282.46
White, N. Jr.	3.50
Wood, R. D. & Co.	94.89
Woodworth & Co.	63.00
Worthington, H. R.	1.25
Union Water Meter Co.	743.25

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AUDITOR'S FINAL MONTHLY STATEMENT.

1898.

TO THE HONORABLE THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CONCORD.

GENTLEMEN: In compliance with the last paragraph Section 12 of the Auditor Ordinance, the undersigned herewith presents the statement required:

	1898.		
	Appropriation.	Expended.	Balance.
Aid City poor	\$ 700.00	\$ 358.85	\$ 341.15
Aid dependent soldiers, city	500.00	267.15	232.85
Aid county poor, received	7.14	5,423.59	.....
Aid dependent soldiers, county	18.00	2,171.05	.....
Bridges—Ward 1 - ord. No. 276	7,000.00	.....	.....
Jt. res. 387	3,200.00	.....	.....
	10,200.00	1,859.37	8,340.63
Committee service	1,410.00	1,410.00	.....
*Cemeteries and parks:			
Addition to Blossom Hill Cemetery			
(temporary loan)	5,000.00	5,000.00	.....
Blossom Hill, appro.	2,100.00	5,784.17	.....
care of lots	1,383.65	.....	.....
sale of lots	1,169.68	.....	.....
Grading	805.25	.....	.....
Income investment fund	634.42	.....	308.83
	6,093.00	.....	.....
Old North	100.00	.....	.....
care of lots	158.31	.....	.....
Joint res. No. 388	150.00	.....	.....
Income investment fund	28.48	.....	.....
	436.79	386.05	50.74
West Concord	100.00	87.63	12.37
Millville	50.00	50.00	.....
Pine Grove (joint res. No. 362)	25.00	25.00	.....
White Park—maintenance	2,850.00	2,982.60	.....
Joint res. No. 388	15.00	.....	.....
White Park—receipts	122.00	.....	.....
	2,487.00	.....	4.40

White Park—purchase land (by issuing notes)	1,400.00	1,400 00	.....
Rollins	650.00	636.60	13.40
Penacook	75.00	80.81	4.19
Joint res. 388	10.00	.....	.....
	85.00	.....	.....
Bradley	75.00	78.25	6.75
Joint res. 388	10.00	.....	.....
	85.00	.....	.....

Decoration Day,	345.00	345.00	.....
Dog license,	.....	30.00	.....
Drinking fountain, Penacook (joint res. No. 367),	150.00	119.98	30.02
Total to here,	.....	28,496.10	.....
Engineering Department:			
Salary engineer,	1,500.00	1,500.00	
Salary assistants,	1,000.00	1,011.82	
Supplies,	100.00	88.88	
Repairs,	50.00	3 95	
Rent,	204.00	204.00	
Incidentals,	146 00	177.86	
	3,000.00	2,986 51	13.49
Fire Department:			
Pay-rolls—permanent men,	6,518 00	6,518.00	.....
“ Extra men, vacation,	214.16	161.68	.....
“ Semi-annual,	6,930.00	6,930.00	.....
Rent Veterans' Association,	150.00	150.00	.....
Forage—500—712.20—earnings,	1,212.80	1,106 10	.....
Fuel—400—200—earnings,	600.00	539.18	.....
Fire alarm,	775 09	820 29	.....
Hose,	525 00	523.75	.....
Horses, purchase of,	400.00	400 00	.....
Horse hire,	550.00	667.40	.....
Horse Shoeing,	300.00	278.20	.....
Incidentals,	1,021.34	1,261.92	.....
Lights,	450.00	400.46	.....
Washing,	100.00	80.30
Water,	116.50	116.50

Chemical supplies,	50.00	32.71
Appro., joint res. 388,	75.00
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	19,987.20	19,986.49	71
Health (board of)) :			
Salary health officer,	800.00	800.00
Salary board,	75.00	75.00
Rent,	108.00	108.00	....
Lights,	10.00	2.40	....
Care of pest house,	15.00	6.62	....
Assistance sanitary inspector,	100.00	39.80	....
Bacteriological test,	150.00	62.80
Material for fumigation,	27.00	6.41
Incidental expenses,	150.00	112.12
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	1,435.00	1,213.15	221.85
Highway Department appropriation,	35,000.00
Salary commissioner,	1,400.00
General maintenance and repairs,	....	19,995.27	....
Permanent work,	....	5,227.35	....
Cleaning streets,	....	3,997.71	....
Sidewalks and crossings, new,	1,517.03
Repairing concrete,	1,498.29
Catch basins,	1,448.60
Receipts,	1,070.70
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	36,070.70	34,994.25	1,076.45
History Commission, unexpended bal-			
ance, 1897,	1,587.65	379.24	1,208.41
Printing, canvassing, services,			
clerk hire,	....	....	....
Incidentals and land damages,	....	....	....
Regular appropriation,	3,000.00
Joint res. 369,	2,000.00
Joint res. 381,	500.00
Joint res. 388,	850.00
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	6,350.00
Expenses city government,	36.00
Fuel, City hall,	160.66
Fees and costs by city marshal,	614.54
Insurance,	....	27.40	....
Inspection of wires,	....	61.71	....
Indemnity bonds,	....	177.00	....

Ice for year 1897,	....	226.98	...
Lights,	....	352.20	....
Publishing tax lists,	....	250.00	....
Publishing assessors' valuations,	....	28.50	....
Moving Street R. R., Penacook,	....	998.06	....
Miscellaneous,	....	508.63	....
Rents,	....	320.00	....
Repairs,	....	256.05	....
Telephones,	....	540.79	....
Water,	....	40 00	....
Vaccination,	....	27.50	....
Painting West Concord building,	....	190.00	(entire)
Election expenses,	....	99.83	....
Ice, 1898,	....	263.82	....
Judgment—T. L. Fowler,	89.59
Painting cells, police station,	40.50
Hose shed, Penacook,	...	100.00
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		5,661.69	
Damage—Cleveland,	125.00
Damage—Merrill,	300.00
Mayor's incidentals—3 years,	44.42
Pay-roll—marriages,	31.00
Pay-roll—births and deaths,	169.25
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	6,349.43	57
Interest—24545—3700,	6,245.00	6,464.14
Lighting precinct, Penacook,	1,300.00	1,300.00
Legal expenses,	200.00	30.10	160.90
Loan (temporary)—jt. res. No. 348, March 8, '98,	25,000.00	25,000.00	....
Public Library:			
Salaries,	....	2,746.49	....
Books and magazines	....	733.22	....
Binding,	....	204.11	....
Fuel and lights,	303.26
Incidentals,	147.35
Printing catalogue,	593.65
Repairs of roof,	362.94
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	5,000.00	5,091.02
Joint res. No. 388,	100.00
Trust funds,	89.69
Library fines,	181.25

	5,370.94	....	279.92
Police Station and Lobby, Penacook,	900.00	900.00	....
Police and Watch:			
Fuel, city,	200.00	283.22	....
Fuel, Penacook,	30.00	33.93	....
Helmets and buttons,	50.00	46.50	....
Horse hire, city,	30.00	11.50	....
Horse hire, Penacook,	30.00	19.00	....
Horse, board of,	285.00	234.53	....
Ice,	15.00	8.00	....
Incidentals,	125.00	154.01	....
Rent, Penacook,	108.00	108.00	....
Lights, city and Penacook,	180.00	183.92	....
Horse-shoeing,	....	25.00	....
Police and Watch:			
Salaries—Regular Marshal, } Deputy, Captain. } 8 Patrolmen, }	9,350.00	9,280.15	....
" Special,	300.00	294.50	.. .
" Janitor,	225.00	240.00	.. .
" Commissioners,	150.00	150.00	....
Telephone—Private Line,	500.00	104.17	....
Water,	28.00	28.00	....
Uniforms—Special,	50.00	....	....
	11,656.00	11,204.43	451.57
Total to here.	....	144,394.86	....
Printing and Stationery,	2,500.00	....	113.49
Assessors,	....	78.98	....
Auditor,	....	109.78	....
Clerk,	....	102.31	....
Election,	....	94.50	....
Engineering,	....	25.24	....
Fire,	....	29.06	....
Highway,	....	120.11	....
Health,	....	29.75	....
Library,	....	26.75	....
Miscellaneous,	....	22.25	....
Mayor's Inaugural,	....	22.50	....
Police,	....	65.77	....
Ordinances,	....	162.13	....
Reports—City,	....	934.57	....
Departmental,	....	87.75	....
School,	....	148.20	....

Tax Collector,	.....	328.86	.....
	.....	2,386.51	.....
Memorial arch bonds,	5,000.00	5,000.00	.....
Margaret Pillsbury hospital,	2,000.00	2,000.00	.....
Open air concerts,	300.00	300.00	.....
Precinct,	10,500.00	.....	.....
Gas,	.....	1,383.00	.....
Lights,	.....	8,690.10	.....
Miscellaneous,	.....	100.00	.....
	.....	10,173.10	426.90
Precinct—Street sprinkling			
Feb. 8, '98, 3,500.00 }	3,961.49	3,119.99	
Unex. bal. '97, 461.40 }			
" Water,	6,000.00	6,000.00	.....
Salaries,	10,852.00	.....	.....
Joint res. 382,	600.00	.....	.....
Joint res. 388,	350.00	.....	.....
Assessor—Ward 1,	.....	309.00	.....
Ward 2,	.....	282.00	.....
Ward 3,	.....	396.00	.....
Ward 4,	.....	348.00	.....
Ward 5,	.....	378.00	.....
Ward 6,	.....	396.00	.....
Ward 7,	.....	298.00	.....
Ward 8,	.....	291.00	.....
Ward 9,	.....	388.00	.....
	.....	3,086.00	.....
Auditor,	.....	1,000.00	.....
Clerk—city,	.....	1,200.00	.....
Clerk—common council,	.....	50.00	.....
Clerk—police court,	.....	200.00	.....
Clocks—city,	.....	85.00	.....
Clock—Penacook, 2 1-2 years,	.....	87.50	.....
Education—Union,	.....	475.00	.....
Judge—Police	.....	800.00	.....
Justice—Special,	.....	10.00	.....
Mayor,	.....	1,000.00	.....
Messenger,	.....	600.00	.....
Overseer poor, Ward 1,	.....	30.00	.....
Ward 2,	.....	10.00	.....
City proper,	.....	209.00	.....
Pay-rolls—clerks and moderators,	.....	120.00	.....

Inspectors,	....	220.00	....
Supervisors,	....	237.00	....
Selectmen,	....	135.00	....
Solicitor,	....	500.00	....
Tax collector, '93-'94,	....	29.08	....
'96,	....	7.55	....
'97,	....	243.34	....
'98,	....	1,213.68	....
Treasurer,	....	250.00	....
	11,802.00	11,789.15	12.85
Sewers,	4,000.00	....	....
Joint res. No. 274,	100.00	....	....
	4,100.00	4,058.46	41.54
Sewer Precinct, Penacook:			
Unexpended Bal. 1897,	218.54	....	....
Repairs,	300.00	....	....
Bonds,	....	5,000.00	....
Transfer from accumulated earnings			
sinking fund,	400.00	739.33	179.21
Interest on bonds,	960.00	940.00	....
Sinking fund,	500.00	500.00	....
Sewer Precinct, East Concord:			
Interest on bonds,	70.00	70.00	....
Sinking fund,	100.00	100.00	....
Unexpended Bal. 1897	158.90	12.00	146.90
Sewer Precinct, West Concord:			
Unexpended Bal. 1897	1,189.68	912.38	277.30
Sinking fund,	500.00	500.00	....
Interest on bonds,	680.00	680.00	....
Sewer, South End:			
Unex. Bal. Jan. 1, '98, 6,361.46	2,261.46	920.25	1,341.21
Less appro. for sewers, 4,000.00			
100.00			
Schools:			
Union School District:	*1,500.00	1,500.00	....
Apr. 2. voted to pay interest,	2.700	1,500.00	....
Apr. 2, voted to pay bonds,	15,000.00	15,000.00	....
General fund—bal. 1897,	15,785.80	15,785.80	....
Appro.,	30,385.00	30,385.00	....
Apr. 2, '98 voted by U. S. D.,	12,615.00	3,115.00	....
Text-books,	2,447.00	....	....
Literary fund,	1,601.57
Dog license,	1,220.53	11,769.10
Town District,—bal. 1897	935.11	935.11

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Appro.,	2,335.00	2,335.00
Mch. 19, '98, voted by town dis.,	800.00	65.00
Text-books,	188.00
*Page 92, 1897 Report, Accrued interest.			
Literary fund,	123.06	....	....
Dog license,	93.79	1,139.85	....
District No. 20 bal 1897,	913.74	913.74	....
Bal. Schoolhouse tax,	100.00	100.00	....
Appro.,	2,045.00	2,045.00	....
Mch. 24, '98, voted by dis. No. 20,	1,000.00	530.00	....
" " voted to pay bond,	500.00	....	....
Text-books,	165.00	....	....
Mch. 24, '98 voted to pay interest,	40.00	....	....
* Accrued interest,	20 00	30 00	....
Literary fund,	107.77	....	....
Dog license,	82.12	....	824.80
	....	75,379.50	.....
Liquor Agency :			
Receipts,	1,918.15	....	....
Salary Agent,	....	600.00	....
Liquors,	....	1,384.85	....
License,	....	25.00	....
Light,	....	5.10	....
Miscellaneous,	....	38.79	....
Rent,	....	283.00	....
	....	2,336.74	....
	....	277,312.27	....
County tax,	....	42,200.60	....
State tax,	....	20,490.25	....
Total,	....	349,012.21	....
Order outstanding :			
2885—Merrill—Inc. & L. D.	....	300.00	....
Order refused :			
2204—Lamprey—Highway,	....	20.00	....
Account trusted:			
W. W. Critchet—White Park,	....	22.50	....
" " Rollin's Park,	....	7.50	....
" " Bradley Park,	....	15.00	....
Total expended as shown by City Treasurer.,		348,647.21	....
		349,012.21	

Concord water works :

Salary Superintendenent,	.....	1,800.00	.....
Salary Clerk,	.....	600.00	.....
Pay Rolls,	.....	5,922.76	.....
Interest,	.....	26,645.00	.....
Freight,	.....	1,614.88	.....
Meters,	.....	1,820.80	.....
Miscellaneous,	.....	1,979.06	.....
Lights,	.....	22.05	.....
Printing,	....	125.75	.....
Supples,	.....	7,587.31	.....
Telpehone,	.....	124.70	.....
Bonds,	.....	10,000.00	.....
	.....	<u>58,242.31</u>	<u>.....</u>

Very respectfully,

JOHN B. ABBOTT, City auditor.

City Hall Feb. 9, 1899.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS.

CITY OF CONCORD, N. H.

WATER DEPARTMENT.

1898.

BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS.

ALBERT B. WOODWORTH, Mayor, *ex officio*.

WILLIAM P. FISKE.	to March 31, 1902.
WILLIAM E. HOOD.	to March 31, 1902.
SOLOMON A. CARTER.	to March 31, 1901.
FRANK D. ABBOT.	to March 31, 1901.
JOHN WHITAKER.	to March 31, 1900.
EBENEZER B. HUTCHINSON.	to March 31, 1900.
WILLIAM M. MASON.	to March 31, 1899.
EDSON J. HILL.	to March 31, 1898.

FRANK D. ABBOT, Clerk.

OFFICERS.

WILLIAM P. FISKE, President.

V. C. HASTINGS, Superintendent.

ALICE G. COCHRAN, Clerk at Water Office.

HENRY A. ROWELL, Engineer at Pumping Station.

CONCORD WATER BOARD.

Date of election and length of service of members.

Abraham G. Jones, <i>ex officio</i>	1872—three months.
John M. Hill	1872-1878.
Benjamin A. Kimball	1872-1878
Josiah Minot*	1872. Resigned Jan. 10, 1874.
David A. Warde*	1872-1874.
Edward L. Knowlton*	1872. Resigned Sept. 25, 1875.
Benjamin S. Warren*	1872-1873
John Kimball, <i>ex officio</i>	1872-1876.
John Abbott*	1873-1876.
John S. Russ*	1874-1877.
Abel B. Holt*	1874-1877.
Samuel S. Kimball	1875. Resigned July 1, 1891.
George A. Pillsbury, <i>ex officio</i> *	1876-1878.
Luther P. Durgin	1876-1885.
John Kimball	1877. Resigned July 1, 1891.
William M. Chase	1877. Resigned July 1, 1891.
Horace A. Brown, <i>ex officio</i>	1878-1880.
James L. Mason*	1878-1893.
James R. Hill*	1878. Died 1884.
Geo. A. Cummings, <i>ex officio</i>	1880-1883.
Edgar H. Woodman, <i>ex officio</i>	1883-1887.
Joseph H. Abbot*	1884-1893.
George A. Young	1885-1894.
John E. Robertson, <i>ex officio</i>	1887-1889.
Stillman Humphrey, <i>ex officio</i> *	1889-1891.
Henry W. Clapp, <i>ex officio</i> *	1891-1893.
Willis D. Thompson	1891-1895.
William P. Fiske	1891. Now in office.
James H. Chase*	1891. Died 1893.
John Whitaker	1892. Now in office.

*Deceased.

Henry E. Conant	1892. Resigned Jan. 8, 1895
Parsons B. Cogswell, <i>ex officio</i> *	1893-1895.
Solon A. Carter	1893. Now in office.
Frank D. Abbot	1893- Now in office
William M. Mason	1893. Now in office.
William E. Hood	1894. Now in office.
Ebenezer B. Hutchinson .	1895. Now in office.
Edson J. Hill	1895. Now in office.

PRESIDENTS OF THE BOARD.

Josiah Minot*	1872. Resigned Jan. 10, 1894.
Benjamin A. Kimball . .	1874-1875.
Edward L. Knowlton* . .	1875. Resigned Sept. 25, 1875.
John Kimball	1875-1876.
Benjamin A. Kimball . .	1876-1878.
John Kimball	1878. Resigned July 1, 1891.
William P. Fiske	1891. Now in office.

*Deceased.

SUMMARY STATISTICS.

CONCORD, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WATER WORKS.

Population of the city by census of 1890 . . . 17,004

Population of that portion of the city included within
the water precinct, estimated . . . 15,000

Date of construction, 1872; additions since.

Works are owned by the city.

Source of supply, Penacook lake, a natural body of water containing 265 acres, situated about three miles and a half from the state house and about 125 feet higher than Main street in front of the state house.

Mode of supply, gravity and pumping to reservoir.

FINANCIAL.

MAINTENANCE.

RECEIPTS.	EXPENDITURES.
From consumers (mostly for domestic uses,) . . . \$59,072.92	For management and re- pairs \$ 3,451.20
From rents. 100.02	For new distribution pipes 11,278.33
From hay, apples, pipe, etc., sold. 190.32	For new service pipes . . . 1,001.06
	For maintenance of pump- ing station 1,823.62
	For inspection 600.00
	For meters 2,473.46
	For work at and near the outlet of Penacook lake . . . 604.69
	For incidentals 361.95
	For abatements 215.72
	\$21,813 03
	Amount required to pay interest on bonded in- debtedness 26,625.00
	Balance 10,025.23
\$50,363.26	\$59,363.26

CONSTRUCTION.

Cost of land damages, flowage, and water rights;

Paid B. F. & D. Holden, for water	
rights	\$60,000.00
Concord Manufacturing Co., for	
water rights	83,000.00
W. P. Cooledge for mill privilege	
and land	5,500.00
Humphrey & Farnum, for kit-	
shop privilege	5,000.00
Flowage rights around Penacook	
lake	4,375.61
W. P. Cooledge, Hutchins house	
and lot	2,250.00
Mary C. Rowell, for land .	1,500.00
Moses H. Bradley, " .	5,000.00
Joseph B. Walker, " .	2,214.00
John G. Hook, " .	370.00
A. S. Ranney, " .	1,350.00
Alfred Roberts, " .	1,275.00
Charles E. Ballard, " .	2,500.00
Mary G. Garter, " .	1,250.00
Elizabeth Widmer, " .	1,564.50
A. L. Proctor, " .	450.00
Robert Crowley, " .	3,000.00
Miles Hodgdon, " .	2,200.00
Coffin & Little, " .	800.00
O. F. Richardson, " .	100.00
C. H. Amsden, water and flowage	
rights	5,000.00
Cost of property and rights of Torrent	
Aqueduct Association .	20,000.00
dam, gate-house, and appur-	
tenances	30,756.17
conduit and gate-houses . .	29,484.05

Cost of mains (low service main and pump main from the dam to Penacook street, force main from the pump to the reservoir, fire-main through North and South and Turnpike streets, and supply main from near the dam to Stark street	\$154,960.92	
distribution pipe	280,431.38	
service pipe	41,489.95	
reservoir	42,460.09	
pumping station, shop, stable and storehouse	22,000.00	
pumping machinery	10,215.00	
engineering and superintend- ence	14,913.12	
incidentals	6,531.19	
Cost of works, January 1, 1899. . . .	—————	\$841,940.98

Bonds of the city have been issued to pay a part of said cost of which \$10,000 have been paid each year for the past three years from the earnings of the works, and of which the following are still outstanding :

When due.	Rate.	Amount.
Nov. 1, 1899,	4,	\$ 10,000.00
Nov. 1, 1900,	3 1-2,	15,000.00
Jan. 1, 1901,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1902,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1903,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1904,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1905,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1906,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1907,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1908,	4,	16,000.00
Jan. 1, 1909,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1910,	4,	5,000.00
Jan. 1, 1911,	4,	5,000.00
Oct. 1, 1912,	4,	45,000.00

Jan. 1, 1913,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1914,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1915,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1916,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1917,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1918,	4,	10,000.00
Jan. 1, 1919,	4,	10,000.00
Mar. 1, 1922,	3 1-2,	20,000.00
Jan. 1, 1923,	4,	400,000.00
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		\$660,000.00

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT.

To the Board of Water Commissioners :

I herewith present to you the twenty-seventh annual report of the operations of this department, showing the receipts, expenditures and abatements, together with a statement of extensions and improvements made during the year ending December 31, 1898.

RECEIPTS.

For water from consumers by fixed rates	\$33,214.42	
water from consumers by meter rates	25,681.48	
From delinquents	76. 68	
For water used for building purposes rents	100.34	
hay, apples, pipe, etc.	100.02	
	190.32	
		<u>\$59,363.26</u>
Deduct abatements		215.72
Net receipts for 1898		<u>\$59,147.54</u>

EXPENDITURES.

GENERAL EXPENSES.

Paid V. C. Hastings, salary as superintendent	\$1,800.00
pay-rolls, salaries and labor	4,925.46
Nath'l White, Jr., rent of office and heating	350.00
S. G. Sanborn, rent of shop in Penacook	24.00
Rumford Printing Co., printing	107.25
F. L. Sanders, books, etc.	23.50
Silsby & Son, printing, stationery, etc	28.56
Concord Light and Power Co., gas	14.55

Paid New England Telephone & Tele-	
graph Co., telephones .	124.70
J. M. Stewart & Sons Co., sup-	
plies	54.00
Humphrey-Dodge Co., hardware .	67.34
Thompson & Hoague, " .	63 85
Batchelder & Co., oil, etc. . .	14.19
J. H. Dodge & Co., grain .	54.00
Arthur N. Day, "	36.78
C. H. Martin & Co., lead, oil, etc.	10.32
A. P. Fitch & Co., " " " .	1.25
H. O. Marsh, wood	13.50
Woodworth & Co., cement . .	63.00
Dickerman & Co. "	15.00
Phillips & Sanders, stone . .	3.00
A. C. Sanborn, dynamite, etc. .	3 80
Stoughton Rubber Co., hose and	
mittens	21.60
Abbot-Downing Co., wagon . .	125.00
John C. Thorne, rubber boots . .	19.08
J. C. French & Co. " " . .	9.50
M J. Drummond & Co., cast-iron	
pipe	5,716.29
Builders' Iron Foundry, castings .	30.34
Concord Foundry Co., " . .	3.78
R. D. Wood & Co., hydrants . .	94.89
Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co. gates . .	467.87
Coffin Valve Co.	9.75
Chadwick Lead Works, pig lead	
and lead pipe	470.44
Walworth Mfg. Co., pipe, tools	
and fittings	268.82
J. H. Cunningham Co., fittings .	27.48
Goodhue & Milton "	17.69
E. H. Randall, plumbing	2.59
H. Mueller Mfg. Co., tapping ma-	
chine	23.00
Waldo Bros., cutter wheels . .	5.50

Paid National Meter Co., meters . . .	1,003.55
Union Water Meter Co., meters . . .	743.25
Thomson Meter Co., " . . .	184.80
M. J. Duffy, use of derrick . . .	7.00
J. D. Johnson & Son, repairs . . .	20.15
E. B. Hanchay, smith-work . . .	86.22
Ross W. Cate, " . . .	21.45
Rowell & Plummer, mason-work . . .	94.35
E. B. Hutchinson Building Co. lumber and labor . . .	42.81
George Abbott, Jr., painting . . .	56.45
Benj. Bilsborough, " . . .	13.35
O. F. Richardson & Son, team- work and labor . . .	62.33
George L. Theobald, team-work . . .	132.02
J. H. Coburn . . .	35.50
Cavis G. Brown . . .	21.80
J. H. Rowell & Co., concreting . . .	37.00
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight and repairing siding . . .	1,654.63
Engineering News . . .	5.00
Eastman & Merrill, insurance . . .	32.50
Jackman & Lang " . . .	25.00
Chase & Martin, " . . .	25.00
V. C. Hastings, cash paid out . . .	61.36
town of Webster, taxes . . .	47.20
incidentals . . .	249.30
	<hr/>
	\$19,773.69

PUMPING STATION EXPENSES.

Paid pay-rolls, engineer and fireman . . .	\$1,498.00
C. H. Stevens & Co., coal . . .	9.26
H. H. Crowell, slab wood . . .	51.87
H. O. Marsh, wood . . .	7.50
Humphrey-Dodge Co., packing and hardware . . .	3.10
Thompson & Hoague, packing and hardware . . .	2.45

Paid A. W. Chesterton & Co., packing .	20.03	
F. W. Bradley	13.00	
R. F. Clifford & Co.,	10.33	
Knowlton Packing Co.,	8.75	
Batchelder & Co., supplies	2.50	
Walworth Mfg. Co., waste and tools	13.64	
Putnam Machine Co., tools	5.00	
Locke Regulator Co., valves	4.25	
Chapman Valve Mfg. Co., valves	4.14	
E. Hodge & Co., castings	26.16	
George Abbott, Jr., painting	41.00	
Rowell & Plummer, mason-work	49.50	
Concord Light & Power Co., gas	8.70	
Boston & Maine Railroad, repairing siding	34.89	
incidentals	9.15	
		<hr/>
		\$1,823.62

Total expenditures for 1898 \$21,597.31

The expenses are divided as follows :

GENERAL EXPENSES.

For management and repairs	\$3,454.20	
new service pipes	1,001.06	
new distribution pipes	11,278.33	
inspection	600.00	
meter account	2,473.46	
work at and near the outlet of Penacook Lake	604.69	
incidentals	361.95	
		<hr/>
		\$19,773.69

PUMPING STATION EXPENSES.

For salaries, engineer and fireman	\$1,498.00	
fuel used	68.63	
waste, packing, and other supplies	105.44	
repairs	151.55	
		<hr/>
		\$1,823.62

EXTENSIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS.

Main and distribution pipes have been laid and hydrants set during the year as follows :

On main line,

north from near Blossom Hill Cemetery gate to near tenement block of N. H. State Prison, 2,761 feet 20-inch pipe and two hydrants.

In North Main street,

north from Capital street, 110 feet 10-inch pipe.

In Pillsbury street,

west from Turnpike street to Dunklee street, 1,031 feet 6-inch pipe.

west from Eastman street to South street, 232 feet 6 inch pipe.

In Allison street,

west from Dakin street to Broadway, 851 feet 6-inch pipe.

In McKinley street,

west from Turnpike street to Broadway, 738 feet 6-inch pipe.

In Avon street,

west and north from South street to Clinton street, 724 feet 6-inch pipe and 1 hydrant.

In Broadway,

south from north line of Rollins Park to McKinley street, 712 feet 6-inch pipe and 1 hydrant.

In Holly street,

west from Turnpike street to Dunklee street, 710 feet 6-inch pipe.

In Donovan street,

south from Rockingham street to Wiggin street, 456 feet 6-inch pipe.

In Rockingham street,

west from near Broadway to Donovan street, 448 feet 6-inch pipe.

In Glen street,

north from Allison street, 189 feet 6-inch pipe.

In Clinton street,

45 feet 6-inch pipe and 1 hydrant.

In Old Saw Mill road, St. Paul's School,
west from near S. B. Hall place to Old Hopkinton road, near
Millville cemetery, 3,446 feet 4-inch pipe.

In Old Hopkinton road, St. Paul's School,
west from Old Saw Mill road to New Hopkinton road, 814
feet 4-inch pipe and 1 hydrant.

In Main street, Penacook, at Woodlawn cemetery, 1 hydrant.

On hydrant branches,
94 feet 6-inch pipe.

On blow-offs,
22 feet 4-inch pipe.

Also 122 feet 3-4-inch pipe.

Main and distribution pipes have been discontinued during the
year, as follows :

On main line,
north from near Blossom Hill Cemetery gate to near tene-
ment block of N. H. State Prison, 2,761 feet 14-inch
cement-lined pipe.

In Clinton street,
45 feet 4-inch cement-lined pipe.

On hydrant branches,
42 feet 6-inch cement-lined pipe.

Also 986 feet 1-inch and 3-4-inch pipe.

Summary of the Foregoing.

NEW PIPES, HYDRANTS, AND STOP-GATES.

<i>Pipes.</i>	<i>Hydrants.</i>	<i>Stop-Gates.</i>
3-4-in., 122 feet.	West Concord Road, 2	4-in., 6
4-in., 4,282 "	Broadway, 1	6-in., 16
6-in., 6,230 "	Avon street, 1	20-in., 1
10-in., 110 "	Clinton street, 1	
20-in., 2,761 "	Old Hopkinton road, 1	
	Main street, 1	
	Penacook, 1	
<hr/> 13,505 feet, equal to 2.55 miles.	<hr/> 7	<hr/> 23

PIPES AND STOP-GATES DISCONTINUED.

<i>Pipes.</i>	<i>Stop-Gates.</i>
1-in., 986 feet.	4-in., 1
4-in., 45 "	6-in., 2
6-in., 42 "	10-in., 1
14-in., 2,761 "	14-in., 1
<hr/> 3,834 feet, equal to 72-100 miles.	<hr/> 5

Total length of main and distribution pipes now in use, 312,721 feet, equal to 59.22 miles.

Total number of hydrants now in use, 260.

Total number of gates now in use, 720.

SERVICE-PIPES.

There have been laid during the year and connected with the main pipes, 68 service-pipes, consisting of 68 3-4-inch, 1,665 feet in length.

There has been discontinued during the year, 1; whole number in use at the present time, 3,240; total length of service pipes, 76,161 feet or 14.42 miles.

We have set 152 meters during the year; 6 have been removed; making the total number now in use, 778.

The following table shows the height of water in Penacook Lake on the first day of each month:

January	185.10	July	184.45
February	184.90	August	183.75
March	184.40	September	183.40
April	184.60	October	183.25
May	184.70	November	183.60
June	184.70	December	184.90

The lowest point reached was October 1, being 183.25; the highest was April 25, 185.10; mean height, 184.31, which was .98 foot higher than the mean height for the year 1897.

The water has been running over the overflow one hundred and forty-one days during the year; in January, 31; in February, 23; in March, 11; in April, 25; in May, 10; in June, 5; in November, 5; and in December, 31. At no time has the water been lower than sixteen inches below the overflow.

The work at the overflow was completed early in the season and the road graded.

The general work of the department has been carried on as in past years; the most important extensions of pipe were at St. Paul's School and the continuation of relaying the old 14-inch main which was extended to a little north of the terement block of the New Hampshire State Prison.

We have had several serious breaks on Main street which indicate that the cement-lined pipe in that street is nearing the end of its usefulness; I would therefore recommend that a new 10-inch cast-iron pipe through North and South Main streets, from Centre to freight streets, be included in the plans for next season, or that at least a portion of the work be considered.

I would also call your attention to the recommendation of the engineer in his report which is attached hereto, and urge that the same be carried out in order to secure the best results from the pumping engine.

Respectfully submitted,

V. C. HASTINGS, *Superintendent.*

TREASURER'S REPORT.

W. F. Thayer, Treasurer.

In account with Concord Water Works.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand January 1, 1898,	\$11,192.83
Income of Water Works,	59,147.54
	<u>870,340.37</u>

EXPENDITURES.

Interest on Water Works bonds,	\$26,645.00
Bonds,	10,000.00
Maintenance and extension,	21,597.31
Balance on hand, January 1, 1899,	12,098.06
	<u>870,340.37</u>

Report of Engineer of Pumping Station.

Pumping Station, Concord Water Works.

V. C. Hastings, Superintendent:

Sir,—I would report that the pumping machinery at the pumping station is in good working condition, with the exception of the plungers. I would recommend that new plungers be put in during the coming year, as the old ones are badly worn and do not lift the amount of water they should on account of so much slipping.

Following will be found a statement of the coal and supplies used at the pumping station during the year, with a table showing the work for each month:

STATEMENT.

114 tons, 860 lbs. Pocahontas coal.

41 cords of wood.

48 gallons of oil.

24 lbs of waste.

ENGINE RECORD.

Date.	Pumping time. h. m.	Gallons water pumped.	Daily average pumped.	Total coal burned.	Daily average coal burned.	*Gallons pumped per pound of coal.
January	117:	10,093,230	325,588	21,068	679	479
February.....	115:30	9,969,610	356,057	22,193	792	449
March.....	118:45	10,325,85	333,076	21,068	679	490
April.....	116:	10,115,210	337,173	20,641	688	490
May.....	1:0:	9,331,980	301,031	18,861	612	491
June.....	111:30	9,710,400	323,080	19,649	654	444
July.....	143:30	12,471,000	402,292	25,202	812	494
August.....	121:45	10,583,840	341,444	21,391	690	494
September.....	118:30	10,157,338	338,579	20,551	685	494
October.....	124:30	11,136,258	359,234	22,715	732	490
November.....	110:15	9,779,080	325,969	20,329	677	481
December.....	122:	10,719,800	342,576	22,428	723	477
Total	1429:15	124,393,311	340,803	256,220	701	485
Daily average.	3:54	340,803	.....	701	.....	.....

*Amount of coal consumed includes that used for heating the building and banking fires.

Amount of coal consumed per thousand gallons pumped, 2.05 pounds.

HENRY A. ROWELL,

Engineer.

APPENDIX.

A.**Receipts for each year since the completion of the works.**

For the year ending January 31, 1874	.	.	.	84,431.10
For fifteen months ending April 1, 1875	.	.	.	17,535.00
For the year ending April 1, 1876	.	.	.	16,921.24
" " 1877	.	.	.	19,001.07
" " 1878	.	.	.	20,763.03
" " 1879	.	.	.	21,869.86
" " 1880	.	.	.	22,451.53
" " 1881	.	.	.	26,744.58
For nine months ending December 31, 1881	.	.	.	25,534.01
For the year	"	"	1882	27,243.06
"	"	"	1883	28,255.48
"	"	"	1884	28,915.65
"	"	"	1885	30,222.54
"	"	"	1886	30,862.64
"	"	"	1887	34,047.52
"	"	"	1888	38,441.32
"	"	"	1889	40,237.53
"	"	"	1890	42,133.41
"	"	"	1891	46,075.16
"	"	"	1892	48,351.52
"	"	"	1893	52,299.66
"	"	"	1894	53,230.10
"	"	"	1895	55,343.19
"	"	"	1896	56,557.81
"	"	"	1897	55,156.42
"	"	"	1898	59,147.54
Total receipts for 26 years				8901,771.97

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Mean Height of the water each year.

1873	.	.	.	175.86	1886	.	.	.	178.10
1874	.	.	.	179.50	1887	.	.	.	179.04
1875	.	.	.	180.00	1888	.	.	.	181.96
1876	.	.	.	180.28	1889	.	.	.	180.91
1877	.	.	.	176.46	1890	.	.	.	181.90
1878	.	.	.	179.50	1891	.	.	.	180.00
1879	.	.	.	179.74	1892	.	.	.	174.32
1880	.	.	.	175.30	1893	.	.	.	173.38
1881	.	.	.	174.70	1894	.	.	.	172.81
1882	.	.	.	179.15	1895	.	.	.	171.15
1883	.	.	.	176.40	1896	.	.	.	178.96
1884	.	.	.	178.18	1897	.	.	.	183.33
1885	.	.	.	176.80	1898	.	.	.	184.31

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Union.....						1203		276											261							3			1
Washington.....						1193										150	1080									1			1
Winter.....							700										400									1			2
Hydrant branches.....																	141									36			8
Flow offs.....								56											9							2			6
Total.....																													

D
FIRE-HYDRANTS.

STREETS	LOCATIONS.	Number	Total.
No. Main.	South-west corner, North Main and Penacook	1	
"	East side North Main, near J. B. Walker's	1	
"	Junction North Main and Fiske	1	
"	East side North Main, near Larkin's store	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and Franklin	1	
"	East side North Main, opposite Pearl	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and Washington	1	
"	West side North Main, opposite Historical Society rooms	1	
"	East side North Main, opposite Chapel	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and Court	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and Pitman	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and Montgomery	1	
"	East side North Main, opposite Montgomery	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and Centre	1	
"	South-east corner North Main and Bridge	1	
"	South-west corner North Main and Park	1	
"	East side North Main, opposite Park	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and Capitol	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and School	1	
"	West side North Main, at Centennial Block	1	
"	East side North Main, opposite Centennial Block	1	
"	East side North Main, in rear Eagle Hotel	1	
"	East side North Main, in rear Woodward Block	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and Warren	1	
"	West side North Main, at Central Block	1	
"	South-east corner North Main and Depot	1	
"	North-west corner North Main and Pleasant	1	
So. Main.	South-east corner South Main and Pleasant	1	27
"	North-east corner South Main and Freight	1	
"	East side South Main, opposite Fayette	1	
"	East side South Main, opposite Thompson	1	
"	South-east corner South Main and Chandler	1	
"	North-west corner South Main and Wentworth's avenue	1	
"	East side South Main opposite St. John's Church	1	
"	North-west corner South Main and Thorndike	1	
"	North-west corner South Main and Perley	1	
"	West side South Main, near Abbott-Downing Co.'s	1	
"	East side South Main, opposite Abbott-Downing Co.'s	1	
"	North-west corner South Main and West	1	
Turnpike.	East side Turnpike, near West	1	12
"	West side Turnpike, opposite Gas	1	
"	West side Turnpike, opposite Holt Bros. Mfg. Co.	1	
"	South-west corner Turnpike and South State	1	
"	North-west corner Turnpike and Pillsbury	1	
"	East side Turnpike, opposite Pillsbury	1	
"	West side Turnpike, at J. H. Lamprey's	1	
"	West side Turnpike, at W. J. Sawyer's	1	8

FIRE HYDRANTS.—*Continued.*

STREETS.	LOCATIONS.	Number	Total.
Water.	West side Water, near Capt. James Thompson's	1	1
Hall.	West side Hall, below Rolfe and Rumford Asylum	1	1
Hammond	North side Hammond, near Bridge	1	1
Fiske.	West side Fiske, near North State	1	1
Summer.	North-east corner Summer and Pitman	1	1
Durgin.	West side Durgin, near Tool's laundry	1	1
No. State.	South-west corner North State and Penacook	1	
"	North-west corner North State and Walker	1	
"	North-west corner North State and Church	1	
"	North-west corner North State and Tremont	1	
"	North-east corner North State and Washington	1	
"	West side North State, opposite Court	1	
"	North-west corner North State and Maple	1	
"	North-east corner North State and Centre	1	
"	East side North State, opposite government building	1	
"	South-west corner North State and School	1	
"	North-west corner North State and Warren	1	
"	North-west corner North State and Pleasant	1	13
So. State.	East side South State, opposite Wall	1	
"	North-west corner South State and Thompson	1	
"	South-west corner South State and Monroe	1	
"	East side South State, opposite Laurel	1	
"	South-east corner South State and Downing	1	
"	North-east corner South State and West	1	
"	Junction of South State and Turnpike	1	7
Mills.	South-east corner Mills and Downing	1	
"	West side Mills, near Levi Call's	1	2
Dakin.	West side Dakin, near C. E. Harriman's	1	1
Dunklee.	North-west corner Dunklee and Pillsbury	1	1
Broadway	North-west corner Broadway and Allison	1	
"	West side Broadway, near precinct line	1	2
Green.	North-west corner Green and Prince	1	
"	East side Green, opposite Prince	1	2
South,	West side South, opposite Wall	1	
"	North-west corner South and Thompson	1	
"	West side South, opposite Monroe	1	
"	West side South, opposite Laurel	1	
"	West side South, opposite Downing	1	
"	West side South, opposite Allison	1	
"	West side South, near Abbott farm	1	
"	West side South, opposite Smith Farm	1	
"	North-west corner South and Rockingham	1	9
Bradley.	South-west corner Bradley and Penacook	1	
"	West side Bradley, opposite Walker	1	
"	East side Bradley, opposite Highland	1	3
Union.	North-west corner Union and Maple	1	1
Lyndon.	South-west corner Lyndon and Tremont	1	1
No. Spring	South-west corner North Spring and Centre	1	1

FIRE-HYDRANTS—*Continued.*

STREETS	LOCATIONS.	Number	Total.
So Spring	South-west corner South Spring and Oak	1	
"	West side South Spring opposite Concord	1	
"	West side South Spring, opposite Perley proposed extension	1	3
Rumford.	West side Rumford, opposite Perkins	1	
"	North-east corner Rumford and Franklin	1	
"	West side Rumford, opposite Beacon	1	
"	North-east corner Rumford and Abbott	1	
"	North-east corner Rumford and Cambridge	1	
"	North-east corner Rumford and School	1	6
Tahanto.	North-west corner Tahanto and School	1	1
Pine.	South-west corner Pine and Centre	1	1
High.	North-west corner High and Auburn	1	
"	East side High, opposite Forest	1	
"	South-west corner High and Franklin	1	3
Giles.	South-east corner Giles and School	1	1
Fruit.	North-east corner Fruit and Clinton	1	
"	East side Fruit, opposite Wm. W. Critchett's	1	
"	North-west corner Fruit and Woodman	1	3
Minot.	West side Minot, near Odd Fellows' Home	1	1
Penacook.	South side Penacook, east of P. B. Co.'s Bark house	1	
"	South side Penacook, near P. B. Co.'s	1	
"	South side Penacook, near P. B. Co.'s office	1	
"	South-east corner Penacook and North Main	1	
"	South-west corner Penacook and Rumford	1	
"	South-east corner Penacook and Columbus avenue	1	6
Highland.	North-east corner Highland and Rumford	1	1
Church.	North side Church, opposite Lyndon	1	
"	North-east corner Church and Rumford	1	2
Franklin.	North-west corner Franklin and Jackson	1	
"	South-west corner Franklin and Rumford	1	
"	South side Franklin, opposite W. J. Ahern's	1	
"	North-east corner Franklin and Auburn	1	4
Beacon.	North-west corner Beacon and Jackson	1	1
Blanchard	North-west corner Blanchard and Essex	1	1
Ferry.	North side ferry, east of C. & M. Railroad	1	1
Washin'ton	South-west corner Washington and Union	1	
"	North-west corner Washington and Rumford	1	
"	North side Washington, opposite Perry avenue	1	3
Valley.	North side Valley, opposite Forest	1	1
Auburn.	North-west corner Auburn and Forest	1	1
Centre.	North-east corner Centre and North State	1	
"	South-west corner Centre and Green	1	
"	North-west corner Centre and Union	1	
"	North-west corner Centre and North Spring	1	
"	North-west corner Centre and Rumford	1	
"	South side Centre opposite Essex	1	
"	South-west corner Centre and Summit avenue	1	
"	North-east corner Centre and Bridge Road	1	8

FIRE HYDRANTS.—*Continued.*

STREETS	LOCATIONS.	Number	Total.
Bridge.	South side Bridge, near easterly barn	1	1
Capitol.	North-east corner Capitol and North State	1	1
School.	North-west corner School and Green.	1	
"	North-west corner School and North Spring	1	
"	North-west corner School and Merrimack	1	
"	North side School, near city storehouse	1	
"	North side School, opposite E. B. Woodworth	1	5
Depot.	North-west corner Depot and Railroad square	1	
"	South side Depot at end of train shed	1	2
Warren.	North-west corner Warren and Green	1	
"	North-west corner Warren and North Spring	1	
"	North-west corner Warren and Rumford	1	
"	South-west corner Warren and Merrimack	1	
"	North-west corner Warren and Tahanto	1	
"	North-east corner Warren and High	1	
"	Junction Warren and Pleasant, near Fruit	1	7
Pleasant.	North-west corner Pleasant and Railroad square	1	
"	North-west corner Pleasant and Green	1	
"	South-west corner Pleasant and Spring	1	
"	South side Pleasant, opposite Rumford	1	
"	South side Pleasant, opposite Merrimack	1	
"	South side Pleasant, opposite Pine	1	
"	South side Pleasant, opposite Liberty	1	
"	North side Pleasant, near Salem	1	
"	South side Pleasant, near Mrs. Eddy's	1	
"	North side Pleasant, near Mrs. Lane's	1	
"	North side Pleasant, near J. McC. Hammond's	1	
"	South side Pleasant, opposite Pond road	1	
"	South side Pleasant, near J. Milnor Coit's	1	
"	North side Pleasant, opposite Infirmary	1	
"	South side Pleasant, near the mill	1	15
Mill Road.	East side Mill road, near Upper school cottage	1	
St. P. Sch.	North side Mill road at Orphan's Home	1	2
Old Hop-			
kinton rd.	Junction Old and New Hopkinton roads	1	1
Ma shall.	North side Marshall, opposite Fuller	1	1
Freight.	North side Freight at south-west corner passenger station	1	1
Hill's ave	North-east corner Hill's avenue and South Main	1	
"	South-west corner Hill's avenue and Railroad square	1	2
Fayette.	North-west corner Fayette and Elm	1	1
Chandler.	South side Chandler, opposite railroad	1	1
Concord.	South side Concord, opposite Jefferson	1	1
Thorndike.	North-east corner Thorndike and Grove	1	1
Laurel.	North-east corner Laurel and Pierce	1	1
Perley.	North-west corner Perley and Grove.	1	
"	South side Perley, near old brook	1	2
West.	North side West, near Badger	1	

FIRE HYDRANTS.—*Continued.*

STREETS	LOCATIONS.	Number	Total.
West.	North side West, opposite Dakin	1	
"	North side West, at intersection Broadway	1	3
Clinton.	North side Clinton, opposite Avon	1	1
Avon.	North-west corner Avon and South	1	1
Harrison.	North-west corner Harrison and Morton	1	1
Allison.	North-west corner Allison and Mills	1	1
Rockingham.	North-east corner Rockingham and Broadway	1	1
Prospect.	North-west corner Prospect and Granite avenue	1	1
Curtis av.	North side Curtis avenue, near John C. Kenney's	1	1
Main line.	West side West Concord road, at water-works storehouse	1	
"	North-east corner West Concord road and Foster	1	
"	East side West Concord road, near Cemetery gate	1	
"	East side West Concord road, near W. H. Perry's	1	
"	West side West Concord road, near Calvary Cemetery	1	
"	East side West Concord road, near A. L. Colburn's	1	
WEST CONCORD.			
"	East side West Concord road, near Asa L. Gay's	1	
"	East side West Concord road, near C. R. Farnum's	1	
"	East side West Concord road, near stone cut	1	9
Main.	East side Main, near old city farm	1	
"	East side Main, near engine house	1	
"	East side Main, opposite D. Holden's	1	
"	West side Main, near north mill	1	
"	East side Main, opposite George W. Brown's	1	
"	East side Main, near Mr. Harrington's	1	
"	East side Main, opposite A. Hollis's	1	
"	East side Main, near Sewall's Falls road	1	8
Electric.	Northeast corner of Electric and Main	1	
"	North side Electric, near power station	1	2
Lake.	East side Lake, near S. W. Kellom's	1	
"	East side Lake, near Mrs. G. E. Holden's	1	2
Knight.	South side Knight, opposite railroad station	1	1
Hutchins.	North side Hutchins, near B. T. Putney's	1	
"	North side Hutchins, near C. & C. railroad	1	2
Penacook rd.	West side Penacook road, near Warner road	1	
"	West side Penacook road, near Mr. Currier's	1	2
PENACOOK.			
Main	West side Main, at Woodlawn cemetery	1	
"	West side Main, opposite Stark	1	
"	West side Main, near Mr. Prescott's	1	
"	Southwest corner Main and Union	1	
"	Washington square, opposite Washington	1	
"	Northwest corner Main and Charles	1	

FIRE HYDRANTS.—*Concluded.*

STREETS.	LOCATIONS.	Number	Total.
Main.	North side Main, opposite East Canal	1	
"	North side Main, near iron bridge	1	8
West Main	West side West Main, opposite cemetery	1	1
High.	East side High, opposite Summit	1	
"	North-west corner High and Maple	1	
"	North-west corner High and Spring	1	3
Washin't'n	South-east corner Washington and Union	1	
"	South side Washington, opposite John Whitaker's	1	
"	South side Washington, opposite Charles	1	
"	South side Washington, near Contoocook bridge	1	4
Charles.	South-west corner Charles and Warren	1	
"	North side Charles, near George W. Corey's	1	2
West Canal	South-east corner West Canal and Warren	1	1
East Canal	North side East Canal, near Contoocook Mfg. Co	1	
"	North side East Canal, near Crescent	1	2
Crescent.	North side Crescent, east of Canal	1	1
Merrimack	South side Merrimack, opposite Merrimack av.	1	
"	North side Merrimack, opposite D. W. Fox's	1	
"	North side Merrimack, opposite Cross	1	
"	South side Merrimack, opposite Rolfe's shop	1	
"	North side Merrimack, near road to Island	1	
"	North-west corner Merrimack and Penacook	1	6
Summer.	North side Summer, opposite High	1	
"	North-east corner Summer and Center	1	2
Spring.	North-east corner Spring and Church	1	1
Centre.	North-west corner Center and Spring	1	1
Cross.	South-west corner Cross and Summer	1	1
Rolfe.	North side Rolfe, near James Corbett's	1	
"	North-west corner Rolfe and Penacook	1	2
Penacook.	West side Penacook, opposite A. W. Rolfe's	1	1
Whole number public hydrants			20
PRIVATE HYDRANTS.			
Boston & Maine railroad, upper yard, 6 post and 3 flush hydrants		6	
Boston & Maine railroad, new shops		14	
New state prison		3	
Abbot-Downing Co.'s yard		6	
Page Belting Co.'s yard		5	
W. P. Ford & Co.'s yard		1	
N. H. Asylum for Insane yard		1	
Concord Gas Light Co.'s yard		1	
St. Paul's school		1	
Water works pumping station grounds		1	39
Whole number private hydrants			39

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

REPORT OF COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS,

To the City Council:—

Gentlemen:—As commissioner of highways, I hereby submit a report of the work of the highway department for the year of 1898.

But few new streets were granted, and therefore there has been but little work in that direction. The following amendment to the rules in regard to laying out streets and highways was passed this year by the board of aldermen, and has done much to check the constant demand for new streets, except in cases where they were really a public demand:

No petition for the laying out of any street or highway shall be considered by the board of Mayor and Aldermen unless it is accompanied by an agreement in writing, signed by responsible parties, that said highway, if laid out by the board of Mayor and Aldermen, shall be built at least fifty (50) feet wide and the grade established by the City Engineer, without expense to the city, or by certificate of the Commissioner of Highways that said street or highway is of the width of at least fifty (50) feet, and has been built and graded to his satisfaction, without expense to the city: except in cases where two-thirds of the board of Mayor and Aldermen shall deem the same to be of great public necessity. Upon the presentation to the board of Mayor and Aldermen of any such agreement or certificate the Mayor shall, by virtue of this rule, declare forthwith that such petition is denied, subject to a motion of any alderman that the public

necessity requires the consideration of such petition and its adoption by a two-thirds vote as aforesaid.

Last year I suggested that the line be established on the Hopkinton road, from Fruit street, west, which has been done this season as far as the Glennon estate, and the highway is now known as Pleasant street, from Railroad square to St. Paul's school. I presume the city will soon take some action in regard to macadamizing this road, as the travel demands a better highway.

A large amount of work has been done on bridges this year. After several suggestions made by people who had occasion to use the iron bridge on Main street across the Contoocook, at Penacook, that an inspection ought to be made on account of its being too light for the traffic, the following letter was sent to the company who built the bridge. It was considered that they would give a more favorable report of its condition, not wishing to condemn their own work.

Concord, N. H., February 21, 1898.

Canton Wrought Iron Bridge Co., Canton, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—We have a bridge in our city built by your company in 1874, of which we would like a through inspection made this spring.

Have you an Eastern agent or inspector who could do the work?

Kindly inform me in regard to the matter and oblige,

Yours very truly,

ALFRED CLARK,

Commissioner of Highways.

To this the following reply was received:

New York City, N. Y., Feb. 25, 1898.

Mr. Alfred Clark, Highway Commissioner, Concord, N. H.

Dear Sir:—Your esteemed favor of the 21st inst., directed to the company at Canton, has been referred by them to this office.

In further reply to the same we would say that we will take pleasure in having our agent, Mr. John M. Braly, call upon you and make this examination at any time suited to your convenience. If possible we should have a week's notice in advance of the time set, so that his movements can be arranged accordingly. Anytime except the last week in March or the first in April is open. Hoping to hear from you further in this matter, we are

Very truly yours,
Wrought Iron Bridge Co.,
Wynkoop and Braly,
General Eastern Agents.

Mr. Wynkoop, the Eastern agent of the company, inspected the bridge in March, and made a verbal report immediately. He condemned the bridge and very strongly advised that the travel be restricted at once. This was done and Mr. Wynkoop was requested to submit a written statement of the exact conditions found in his examination of the bridge that it might be brought before the City Council. The following report was submitted:

New York City, N. Y., March 22, 1898.

Mr. Alfred Clark, Commissioner of Highways, Concord, N. H.

Dear Sir:—In obedience to your request, I have made an examination of the iron bridge over the Contoocook river on Main street, Penacook, N. H., and after consultation with our chief engineer and his assistant, as a result of the same I beg to submit the following report:

The bridge is of iron, of the type known as Whipple or Double Intersection, having cross beams of trussed outline and projecting brackets to carry the walks.

The roadway is 20 feet, and the two sidewalks are 5 feet wide each, making a total width of floor surface of 30 feet, not including the portion under the trusses. The floor system of wood is probably heavier than the bridge was intended to carry. The workmanship is very good for the time when done. The material

used is of the kind and quality incident to that period and an inquiry to the manufacturers has been made to learn if possible what the records of test were on this particular structure. The reply was that the records of that long past period had been destroyed by fire, but that the standard quality of iron used at the time was about as follows :

Ultimate strength, 48,000 to 50,000 pounds per square inch.

Elastic limit, 25,000 to 26,000 pounds per square inch.

The customary practice at that time was to use for compression members, Gordon's formula, with 10,000 pounds per square inch in the numerator and for tensile members 15,000 pounds per square inch, was the usual working stress, thus giving, as was then believed a factor of safety of 3 1-3 as referred to the ultimate strength. Then it was believed that any structure so designed with the above mentioned working units and for a given safe load, would only fail when 3 1-3 times that load had been placed upon it.

The experience and discoveries of later years have shown that this was not strictly true. That when any structure had been once loaded sufficiently to strain its members beyond the elastic limit, a permanent set or deformation occurred in the member and if a tensile member, its area was slightly reduced. If the same load were then applied successively, a comparatively small number of applications of the same load would suffice to destroy the structure.

The elastic limit is, or was, for standard iron used in bridges, about 1-2 the ultimate strength, so that instead of having a factor of safety of 3 1-3, such structures so designed actually had a factor of safety of only 1 2-3 or, a margin of 66 2-3 per cent. This margin was required to take care of the imperfections of shop and field work, the effect of swiftly moving loads and the possibility of overloading which too often occurs with long span bridges.

The analysis of the structure reveals the fact that the total strength of the trusses, 70 per cent is required for supporting the weight of the material, leaving 30 per cent available for carrying capacity. This 30 per cent amounts to 500 pounds per lineal foot of bridge or about 17 pounds per square foot of exposed floor surface, this being the net total carrying capacity of the span per

square foot, provided such load is quietly and gently applied. Anything more than that would be very unsafe and much less than that might cause failure if it were applied in any other way than described above.

It is the custom now to design bridges of this length to carry safely at least 60 pounds per square foot, and four times the capacity of the structure under discussion.

What has been said above regarding the strength of the bridge applies to the trusses. As to the floor system much need not be said except that it is totally inadequate and will certainly be broken through by any heavy concentrated load of more than usual size.

If the sidewalks were removed and a new floor system supplied, the trusses might be relied upon to take care of the ordinary traffic of a country bridge.

Located as it is, we deem it our duty to warn you that the bridge is unsafe and a menace to life and property.

It should be closed at once to all heavy traffic and light vehicles should be required to proceed slowly when crossing it.

Care should also be taken not to allow many cattle or sheep to cross in a bunch and crowds of people should not be allowed to gather on the bridge.

Respectfully submitted,

JAS. H. WYNKOOP,

Representative Wrought Iron Bridge Co., 183 Union Square,
New York City.

Upon this report the City Council thought it advisable to build a new bridge across the Contoocook on Main street, and it was found that by shortening and putting in a new floor system that the old bridge could be used across the Contoocook in place of the old wooden Twin bridge which had been condemned. The contract for this work was let to the Wrought Iron Bridge Co. of Canton, Ohio. It was necessary to build a new abutment on the north side of the Twin bridge and to repair and raise the one on the south side. This department has expended \$172.99 for stone-work, etc., on the Main street bridge, and \$1,594.28 on the abutments to the Twin bridge.

A modern iron bridge was constructed on the Dunbarton road at St. Paul's School this year. New stone abutments were built, and the roadway raised about three feet. The cost of the bridge was \$1,396.40, of which the School paid \$433.23 and furnished 255 loads of gravel without charge. This makes a substantial bridge which will last a great many years without much repairing. About 550 feet of iron fence was built at the approaches to this bridge at an expense of \$177.78.

The Loudon bridge across the Merrimack has been painted, this season, at an expense of \$347.65, and the floor concreted at an expense of \$299.88. The Federal bridge on the East Concord road has been replanked. Expense, \$283.93. For the expense on smaller bridges, see Financial Report.

The numerous heavy winds have called this department's attention very forcibly to the fact that our city's shade-trees are dying quite fast. The number of requests from owners of property to have dangerous trees and limbs removed, has been large.

In the month of August Concord was visited by a cyclone which did considerable damage to our trees. One immense elm on South Main street, opposite B. A. Kimball's, was uprooted and thrown across the street, tearing down electric and telephone wires. Another at the corner of Green and Pleasant street was blown down, beside several smaller ones in other parts of the city.

The bank wall on Hanover street gave way this spring, and had to be rebuilt. In re-building, it was found best to lengthen it, which was done. The total cost of the work was \$170.73.

For permanent work, this season, North Main street, opposite the Eagle Hotel, has been concreted and the paving taken from there used to pave Bridge street from Main street to the Railroad bridge; School street, opposite the Insurance building, has been concreted; North Main street from Franklin to Chapel on the east side, and from Pearl to Court on the west side, has been macadamized; new culvert on Noyes street; and a new iron bridge built at St. Paul's School. See table for expense, etc.

PERMANENT WORK.

WORK.	STREET.	FROM	TO	Length.	Width.	Loads Crushed Stone.	Cost of excavating.	Cost of Spread- ing Stone, Roll- ing, etc.	Cost Paving.	Cost Concreting.	Total cost.
Paving.....	Bridge.....	Main Street.....	Railroad Bridge.....	Feet. 242	Feet. 34	168.40	168.40	62 15	806.42	215 62	\$ 134.82
Concreting.....	School.....	Opp. Insurance Block.....		110	34	86.73	86.73	163 81	.....	473 14	264 50
Macadamizing, east side.....	North Main.....	Opp. Eagle Hotel.....		104	71	342.18	342.18	528 42	.....	.....	696 65
Macadamizing, west side.....	North Main.....	Franklin.....	Chapel.....	600	22	325	325	845	.....	.....	\$70 65
Building water-t.....	North Main.....	Pearl.....	Court.....	840	34	453.43	453.43	56	.....	.....	1303.40
Building Bridge.....	Noyes.....	Over Bow Brook.....		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	172 48
	Dunbarton Road.....	At St. Paul's School.....		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1175 68

The portable crusher was used again, this year, on High street, and the material there has nearly all been crushed. This leaves the street in a condition where it can now be put in shape at a very small expense.

The work of cleaning the streets has been carried on this year the same as usual, the garbage from the business section being collected at night. There is a great demand to have this territory extended, but it cannot be done with the present appropriation. As the money for cleaning streets is raised by a general tax, residents in the thickly settled part of the city consider that their garbage should be removed weekly, the same as around the business blocks. I would suggest that the city be divided into street cleaning sections where collections could be made once a week.

Quite a number of catch basins have been built this year on new streets, and some rebuilt. Several have been rebuilt in Penacook, mostly old ones constructed a number of years ago, where the basin was found too small and allowing too much sand to enter the sewer. One hundred and sixteen feet of 10-inch pipe for surface water was laid on Main street, Penacook, and the catch basins taken from the sewer and connected to this separate pipe. Several years ago the department considered the purchase of a steel sanitary dump-cart for cleaning catch basins, but they were found too expensive. There are several large catch basins built along Main street from Centre to Freight, which are so constructed that it is impossible to run the water into the sewer, and it must be emptied into the gutter before the basin may be cleaned. This, though perfectly harmless, is quite unsightly, and the steel cart would be a great improvement on the present method.

Several new gravel walks have been built, this year, and all concrete walks granted by the board of aldermen have been laid. The following table shows the length, cost, etc., of the gravel walks granted by the board :

Street.	From	To	Length.	Cost.
			Feet.	
South, west walk.....	Noyes	South.....	867.0	\$48.18
South, east walk.....	Allison	Bow	690.6	59.70
Eastman, east walk.....	Allison	Pillsbury	350.0	28.55
North State, east walk..	C. & C. R. R.....	South	483.0	60.40
Clinton, south walk.....	Harvard	West.....	943.5	46.55
Kimball, east walk.....	Allison	Humphrey.....	672.0	14.30
Kimball, west walk.....	Allison	Humphrey.....	672.0	11.70
West State, east walk...	C. & C. R. R.....	Opp. Chas. Farnum's	803.0	73.32
Broadway, east walk...	Allison	orth.....	533.0	50.88
Pillsbury, north walk...	Turnpike.....	West.....	390.0	16.85
Pillsbury, south walk...	South	Eastman.....	227.0	14.77
Pillsbury, south walk...	Broadway.....	South.....	225.0	16.13
			6855.1	\$441.22

In the case before the Supreme Court regarding the removal of snow from the sidewalks by the owners of property was found to be unconstitutional. Therefore it is left optional with the owners regarding the removal of snow. The majority of the citizens clear their walks, but some are left in bad shape. The walks are plowed as usual by the department, but it would be impossible to employ sufficient help to clean the snow from the walks without a heavy expense. If the citizens demand that the department remove the snow it appears to me advisable to form a precinct in which the money could be raised, so that those in the country portion of the city would not be taxed for this purpose.

We have two snow plows here on trial from the Union Road Machinery Co., which do good work and have proved very satisfactory. I think it would be advisable to purchase them.

In the spring, the Street Railway Company moved their track on Main street, Penacook to the new location. It was then necessary to put in bank walls at the south and north ends of Pleasant street, and opposite the premises of John Wilde and Harry A. Cleveland. An appropriation of \$800 was made, and after a change in the plans which extended the wall opposite the premises of Mrs. Sarah A. Abbott, \$200 more was necessary. The total cost of the work, including that done during the fall of 1897, has been \$1,620.63.

The regular appropriations for the highway department are as

follows: General maintenance, \$18,000.00; cleaning streets, \$4,300.00; catch basins, \$1,300.00; permanent work, \$6,500.00; new concrete, \$2,000.00; repairing concrete, \$1,500.00. The appropriation of \$18,000.00 for general maintenance may seem large, but when we consider that from this amount must come the winter expense, such as plowing and sanding walks in the central portions of the city, and the snowing bridges and breaking roads in the entire town, covering over some 300 miles, which for 1898 was \$5,376.15, we see that it is reduced considerably. The balance could easily be expended by the first of July, and then not begin to keep up with the demands of the people. As this appropriation is expected to last throughout the year, the department aims to attend to the more urgent calls and those from which the public may derive the most benefit. Therefore, really, the amount expended for repair of the roads alone is that of \$6,500.00 for permanent work and the balance of general maintenance after the winter expense is deducted. On the concrete walks is expended the \$1,500.00 for repairs and \$2,000.00 for new walks, which is governed by the petitions granted by the board. The appropriation for catch basins of \$1,300.00 can not be expended directly for improving the streets. Of the cleaning streets amount, a large portion is used for the spring and fall removal of garbage from around the business blocks.

It has been quoted by many that the highway department annually expends \$50,000 on the streets. It may easily be seen by the above that the total amount appropriated in 1898 was only \$33,600.00, beside that for sprinkling, which is in a precinct, and I hope that the taxpayers of Concord will make an effort to read this report wherein I have endeavored to make plain the amount expended. A record is kept in the office of all work of every description and is open for public examination at any time.

The amount raised for sprinkling in 1898 was \$3,500.00, and with the balance of \$461.49 from 1897 gave \$3,961.49. We have nine sprinklers, all repaired and painted for the coming season. As the season was quite favorable a balance of \$841.50 is left on this appropriation.

Aside from the regular appropriation a special one of \$150 was

made for a drinking fountain at Penacook, and the sum of \$1000 raised for bank walls on Main street, Penacook.

The present method of paying the laborers of this department at the office of the City Treasurer is very inconvenient. It is impossible for them to be located where convenient to reach the bank during banking hours without a considerable loss of time from the work. Considering the number of laborers employed during the summer months, this loss of time makes quite an item of expense. I find by inquiry that in most cities where the laborers are paid by the city treasurer, they receive their wages on the work.

In concluding, I wish to thank the various city officials for their kind assistance in all matters in which we were mutually concerned, and express to the members of the City Council my appreciation of their honest consideration of highway affairs. I am especially indebted to the City Solicitor and the committees on roads and bridges and streets and sidewalks for their many favors.

I have endeavored to conduct the affairs of this department for the best interest of the city, and I hope that my efforts may not have been wholly unsuccessful.

Respectfully submitted,

Alfred Clark,

Com. of Highways.

The following amounts have been collected from abutters for their proportion of concrete sidewalks, and paid into the city treasury :

William W. Hill	.	.	.	.	.	.	\$	3.68
Mason & White	.	.	.	.	.	.		10.91
N. P. Stevens	.	.	.	.	.	.		23.63
W. E. Darrah	.	.	.	.	.	.		17.69
Joseph Stickney	.	.	.	.	.	.		50.31
Ella A. Wadleigh	.	.	.	.	.	.		6.23
Mrs. John Odlin	.	.	.	.	.	.		6.63
Edson Eastman	.	.	.	.	.	.		9.36

D. E. Sullivan	15.73
F. H. Hill	4.52
Charles I. Johnson	9.77
Mrs. Jane Clark	17.24
Daniel H. Williams	10.60
George W. Crockett, Est.,	11.48
George P. Clark	19.31
Robert Hall	20.19
Mrs. Mary F. Tilton	10.55
Mrs. Mary Riley	10.77
D. D. Taylor	31.73
N. A. Dunkl��e	17.17
Mrs. John Bolger	20.07
Daniel Parker	22.95
Mrs. Josiah Batchelder	7.57
Mrs. G. W. Brown	7.55
H. E. Conant	77.31
J. S. Moses	8.96
C. T. Wason	7.28
E. B. Hutchinson	8.76
George L. Danforth	2.91
George L. Theobald	27.60
Christian Science Hall	47.71
Charles J. Pelissier	20.95
Mrs. Lewis Brown	8.55
F. E. Coates	1.00

\$576.67

Collected for crushed stone, labor, etc. :

N. H. State Prison, crushed stone	\$ 1.60
Darius Philbrick	1.00
E. S. Barrett	1.00
J. H. Rowell & Co.	12.50
N. H. Asylum for Insane	22.50
J. H. Lamprey	1.25

A. S. Roundy	. . . . .	.50
Henry H. Chase	. . . . .	1.25
St. Paul's School, bridge	. . . . .	433.23
Byron Clough, use pump	1.00
Beaver Meadow Golf Club, use roller	25.00
Benjamin Bilborough	2.75
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		\$503.58

The following concrete bills remain unpaid :

A. O. Mansur	\$ 10.39
T. Murphy	18.22
Howard Trevette	. . . . .	21.11
Mrs. C. G. Blanchard estate	. . . . .	149.72
John Healy	. . . . .	7.60
F. E. Coates	. . . . .	2.33
Jackman & Hall	. . . . .	47.96
James Coleman	16.96
George W. Brown estate	10.00
Dr. A. W. Hill	10.24
I. J. Hutchinson	8.38
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		\$320.05

SEWERS AND DRAINS.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SEWERS AND DRAINS.

TO THE CITY COUNCIL: The committee on sewers and drains held four meetings during the season, and careful consideration was given all petitions.

During the year 95 permits for sewer connections were issued by the clerk of the committee.

There has been deposited with the city treasurer, for which the clerk holds his vouchers, the sum of \$16.00 for rent of pumps and the sum of \$12.48 for materials sold. These amounts are to the credit of the city precinct.

No new work was done in the East Concord precinct the past season but the sum of \$12.00 was paid for work done during the season of 1897.

The West Concord Precinct expended the sum of \$912.38 for the Engel street outlet and the ordinary repairs and flushing.

The Penacook sewer precinct expended the sum of \$739.33 for the Merrimack street extension,—the relaying of about two hundred feet of sewer on East Canal street and by streets,—the ordinary repairs and flushing.

(signed)

Albert B Woodworth,
James H. Rowell,
Frank E. Dimond,
Charles H. Sanders,
George A. Hoit.

PETITIONS RECEIVED AND ACTION TAKEN.

David D. Taylor, for sewer in Pillsbury street: granted and built.

George W. Sanborn and others, for sewer in Turnpike street; the petitioners were given leave to withdraw, but the committee recommended that the sewer be constructed in Turnpike street and connected with Pillsbury street; recommendations adopted and sewer built.

James Adams and others, for sewer in Clinton and Harvard streets; granted and sewer built in Clinton street to Harvard street, and in Harvard street to the premises of James Liberty.

Fiesco P. Engel and others, for sewer in Engel street; granted and built.

D. F. Hurley, for sewer in Merrimack street, Penacook; granted and built.

Levi W. Everett and others, for sewer in Winter street, Penacook; petitioners given leave to withdraw.

Augusta S. Chase and others, for sewer in Main and Pleasant streets; petitioners given leave to withdraw.

Seth R. Dole and others, for sewer in Warren street; granted and built.

John W. Edgerly and others, for sewer in Jackson West Court (now Gordon street); granted and built.

R. B. Frost and others, for sewer in Pleasant street; West of Minot street; granted and built.

Walter McMahon, for sewer in Water street: referred to the next city government.

William A. Sleeper and others, for sewer in White street; petitioners given leave to withdraw.

Frank Lynch, for sewer in West Washington street; referred to the next city government.

J. E. Gage, for sewer in Clinton street; referred to the next city government.

Alvertus Evans and others, for sewer in Warren street and Bowery Avenue; petitioners given leave to withdraw, as the Bowery Avenue sewer has been repaired.

REPORT OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES.

To the City Council:—

I herewith submit the report of collection of taxes to the close of business December 31, 1898.

1896 REPORT.

Total lists, including interests as per reports Jan. 1,	
1898	\$264,315.23
Tax added since last report	2.40
Interest collected since last report	22.48
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	\$264,340.11

Cash paid treasurer as per report	
Jan. 1, 1898	\$253,562.79
Cash paid treasurer since last report	165.00
Discounts	3,611.31
Abatements as per report Jan. 1, 1898	6,781.38
Abatements since last report	48.80
Cash in office85
Accounts adjusted	25.18
Uncollected*	144.80
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	\$264,340.11

*This amount is secured by real estate.

1897 REPORT.

Resident list as corrected to date Dec. 31, 1898	\$233,955.92
Non-resident list	957.44
Interest collected as per report Dec. 31, 1897	24.99
Interest collected since report	793.74
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	\$235,732.09

Cash paid treasurer as per report	
Dec. 31, 1897	\$193,125.00

Cash paid treasurer since report	
Dec. 31, 1897	32,445.00
Discounts	3,404.02
Abatements as per report Dec. 31, 1897	3,151.07
Abatements since report Dec. 31, 1897	1,711.97
Cash in office Dec. 31, 189869
Uncollected*.	1,894.34
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	\$235,732.09

1898 REPORT.

Resident lists as committed	\$219,925.85
Errors and omissions (resident list)	1,253.15
Resident lists as corrected to date	221,179.00
Non-residents as committed	1,154.36
Interest collected to date	23.34
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	\$222,356.70
Cash paid treasurer to date	\$181,825.00
Discounts	2,879.84
Abatements	3,247.62
Cash in office at closing, Dec. 31, 1898	320.97
Uncollected	34,083.27
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	\$222,356.70

I have examined the foregoing accounts of the Tax Collector for the years 1896, 1897 and 1898, and find them to be correct.

JOHN B. ABBOTT,
City Auditor.

*Of this amount \$1,612.17 is secured by real estate.

REPORT OF CITY ENGINEER.

TO THE CITY COUNCIL :

The report herewith sub·mitted, shows the work done by the engineering and sewer departments for the year ending Dec. 31, 1898.

The expense attending the construction of sewers built during the year will be found upon the following pages.

There are some districts in the city, that have been somewhat inconvenienced by the lack of sufficient capacity in the mains in those districts, and some attention should be given them as their troubles increase from year to year as the districts are enlarged.

The contract for the sewer in Warren and Pleasant streets was completed early in the season, and the balance due the contractors paid over to them. This was the only piece of contract work done by the sewer department this year

No serious breaks have occurred in the sewer system during the season of 1898 (as in 1897) and only ordinary repairs have been made, together with the regular spring and fall flushing of the entire system.

The general survey of the city was extended so far as we were able to devote time to it, and generally on the westerly side of the city proper.

The contract for the removal of the "Main Street" bridge, at Penacook, changing its length and width and re-erecting it on the site of the "Twin" bridge, together with the erection of a new bridge on the Main street site, was let to the Wrought Iron Bridge Co., of Canton, Ohio. for the sum of \$8,100.00. Only one other bridge company submitting proposals for the work, viz: the Boston Bridge Works, for the sum of \$9,400.00.. The Main street bridge was practically completed on Nov. 22 but no money has been paid the bridge company, as their contract calls for payment, only, upon the completion of the entire contract.

The amount spent from the appropriation for this work will appear in the report of the commissioner of highways.

The "Twin" bridge is not yet completed but probably will be in the month of January 1899. The inspection of the field work on

these bridges has been done by this department, thus saving the additional expense for an inspector. The completion of these structures will leave the city without a wooden bridge upon the Contoocook river, so far as highway bridges are concerned.

The usual measurements of concrete sidewalks laid, setting grade stakes and similar work for the highway department, together with the demands of other departments, have been attended to as promptly as possible.

The employes of this department for the past season have been : Frank W. Brown, Russel Burroughs, principal assistants ; Fred W. Lang, transitman ; Harry C. Hill, Charles H. Chandler, William A. Ellis, rodmen, who have all attended cheerfully to the duties assigned them

Whatever success may have attended the efforts of this department were largely due to the support of the mayor and city council, and I wish to express to you my appreciation of it.

The expenses of the department for the year 1898 are as follows :

Paid for salaries	\$2,511.82	
“ “ supplies	88.64	
“ “ repairs	4.19	
“ “ rent	204.00	
“ “ incidentals	177.86	
	<hr/>	\$2,986.51
Appropriation	\$3,000.00	
Expended	2,986.51	
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Unexpended balance		\$13.49

STREETS LAID OUT 1898.

Warren street. from Pine street to Fruit street. .

Pleasant street. from Fruit street to the Glennon property.

Turnpike street, from Pillsbury street to Bow line.

Donovan street.

Holly street.

East Canal street. (Penacook)

Washington street, South line, opposite White Park.

Road near Saint Pauls School, from the iron bridge to a point near the rectory.

East sidewalk, Broadway from Allison street north 533 feet.

East sidewalk, West State street, from Concord and Claremont.

Railroad to Bound No. 18.

East sidewalk, Dakin street.

North sidewalk, Perley street, from a point 91 feet west of the west line of Pierce street to South street.

South sidewalk, West street, from Morton street to South State street.

East sidewalk, Badger street, from West street to Harrison street. Kimball street.

East sidewalk, Kimball street.

West sidewalk, Kimball street.

Concord street railway extension, in Broadway.

Concord street railway extension, in Turnpike street.

East sidewalk, Broadway, from Allison street to the Cogswell school.

North sidewalk, Warren street, from Holt street west 69 feet.

West sidewalk, South street, south from F. Sargent's south line 91.5 feet.

North sidewalk, Pillsbury street, from J. B. Weeks west line, west 550 feet.

South sidewalk, Centre street, from east line of State Library to Main street.

Donovan street

East and west sidewalks, Donovan street.

Holly street.

North and south sidewalks, Holly street.

East sidewalk. Broadway. from Downing street to West street.

South sidewalk, East Canal street.. (Penacook)

South sidewalk, Clinton street, from Harvard street west 943.5 feet.

North sidewalk, Blake street, from State street west 182.5 feet.

West sidewalk, South street, from Noyes street south 867 feet.

East sidewalk, South street, from Allison street to Bow street.

East sidewalk, Eastman street.

East sidewalk, No. State street, from the Concord & Claremont railroad south, 483 feet.

COST OF SEWERS LAID, 1898.**BROADWAY, NORTH FROM PILLSBURY STREET.**

270 feet of 8-inch pipe.

Paid for labor	\$76.10
" pipe	40.58
" castings41
" trucking	5.50
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						\$122.59

Average cost per foot, \$0.454

Material excavated sand.

WARREN STREET, EAST FROM SOUTH END SEWER.

643 feet of 8-inch pipe.

Paid for labor	.	.	.	.	.	\$433.70
" " pipe	.	.	.	.	.	93.57
" " brick	.	.	.	.	.	20.25
" " cement	.	.	.	.	.	8.05
" " castings	.	.	.	.	.	16.70
" " wrought iron	.	.	.	.	.	.78
" " trucking	22.00
" " sand	1.10
" " black-smithing	9.59
" " freight	5.42
" " cil	1.00
" " plumbing	3.72
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						\$615.88

Average cost per foot, \$0.957

Materials excavated, marl and gravel.

JACKSON STREET. (Extension.)

20 feet 6-inch pipe

Paid for labor	\$2.37
" " pipe	2.24
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						\$4.61

Average cost per foot, \$0.23

Material excavated, sand

PILLSBURY STREET, EAST FROM 38 INCH OUTLET.

845 feet 10-inch pipe.

Paid for labor	\$498.42
" " pipe	185.84
" " brick	23.62
" " cement	11.50
" " castings	22.80
" " wrought iron	1.25
" " trucking	13.50
" " blacksmithing	.75
" " hardware	2.25
" " oil	1.00
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	\$760.93

Average cost per foot, \$0.90.

Materials excavated, clay and sand.

NORTH MAIN STREET, CONNECTION WITH PENA-COOK STREET.

185 feet 12-inch pipe.

Paid for labor	\$63.92
" " pipe	39.53
" " trucking	1.00
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	\$104.45

Average cost per foot, \$0.564.

Materials excavated, gravel and sand.

CLINTON STREET, WEST FROM SOUTH END SEWER.

220 feet of 18-inch pipe.

Paid for labor	\$350.87
" " pipe	89.12
" " brick	13.50
" " cement	6.90
" " castings	17.93

Paid for wrought iron75
" " trucking	34.50
" " lumber	33.25
" " oil50
" " pump fittings	4.00
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	\$551.32

Average cost per foot, \$2.506.

Material excavated, wet sand.

The price per foot for this work was very materially increased by the crossing under Bow brook; at this point cast-iron pipe was used and the culvert was taken down and rebuilt.

NORTH SPRING STREET, EXTENSION NORTH OF CENTRE STREET.

140 feet 8-inch pipe.

Paid for labor	\$57.90
" " pipe	21.66
" " cement	1.15
" " castings41
" " trucking	1.00
" " oil20
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	\$82.32

Average cost per foot, \$0.588.

Materials excavated, marl and gravel.

PLEASANT STREET, WEST OF MINOT STREET.

178 feet 12 inch pipe.

Paid for labor	\$85.72
" " pipe	53.97
" " cement	1.15
" " castings41
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	\$141.25

Average cost per foot, \$0.793.

Material excavated, gravel.

RIDGE ROAD.

340 feet of 8-inch pipe	
Paid for labor	\$154.93
“ “ pipe	44.58
“ “ brick	6.75
“ “ cement	4.60
“ “ castings	7.74
“ “ trucking	8.50
“ “ sand	1.10
“ “ blacksmithing	12.47
“ “ hardware.	1.81
“ “ oil50
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	\$242.48

Average cost per foot, \$0.713

Materials excavated, hard-pan

HARVARD STREET.

360 feet 10-inch pipe.	
Paid for labor	\$292.78
“ “ pipe	48.75
“ “ brick	6.75
“ “ cement	6.90
“ “ oil	1.00
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	\$356.18

Average cost per foot, \$0.989.

Material excavated, sand.

JACKSON WEST COURT.

80 feet of 8-inch pipe.	
Paid for labor	\$ 22.88
“ “ pipe	13.37
“ “ brick	6.75
“ “ cement	1.15
“ “ castings	8.43
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	\$52.58

Average cost per foot, \$0.657.

Material excavated, sand

TURNPIKE STREET.

264 feet 10-inch pipe.

Paid for labor	.	.	.	.	.	\$64.08
" " pipe	.	.	.	.	.	51 30
" " brick	.	.	.	.	.	10.12
" " cement	.	.	.	.	.	3.45
" " castings	.	.	.	.	.	7.65
" " trucking	.	.	.	.	.	8.00
" " oil	.	.	.	.	.	.50
						<hr/> \$145.10

Average cost per foot, \$0.549.

Material excavated, sand.

REPAIRS.

Bowery avenue	.	.	.	.	.	\$94.53
Beacon street	.	.	.	.	.	5.25
South street	.	.	.	.	.	43.94
Bradley street,	.	.	.	.	.	16.90
West street	.	.	.	.	.	97.10
Rumford street	.	.	.	.	.	.50
Albin street	.	.	.	.	.	13.60
North State street	.	.	.	.	.	2.00
Concord street	.	.	.	.	.	1.76
Tremont street	.	.	.	.	.	21.37
Ferry street	.	.	.	.	.	18.90
Pine street	.	.	.	.	.	.50
Abbott court	.	.	.	.	.	6.62
Downing street	.	.	.	.	.	8.25
Pillsbury street	.	.	.	.	.	193.00
North Main street	.	.	.	.	.	8.50
Thorndike street	.	.	.	.	.	14.74
Pleasant street	.	.	.	.	.	10.05
Granite avenue	.	.	.	.	.	1.40
Flushing	.	.	.	.	.	220.86
Tool account	.	.	.	.	.	61.67
Lamp pole castings	.	.	.	.	.	12.32
						<hr/> \$853.76
Total repairs	.	.	.	.	.

NEW WORK.

Broadway	\$122.59
Warren street	615.88
Jackson street	4.61
Pillsbury street	760.93
North Main street	104.45
Clinton street	551.32
North Spring street	82.32
Pleasant street	141.25
Ridge road	242.48
Harvard street	356.18
Jackson west court	52.58
Turnpike street	145.10
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	\$3,179.69
Paid Ella Upton	25.00
Repairs	853.76
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Total expenditure	\$4,058.45
Appropriation	\$4,000.00
Transferred from South end appropriation	100.00
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Total appropriation	\$4,100.00
Amount expended	4,058.45
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Unexpended balance, Dec. 31, 1898	\$41.55

SOUTH END SEWER APPROPRIATION.

Amount taken for sewers	\$4,100.00
Paid L. R. Fellows & Son under contract of 1897	919.25
Trucking	1.00
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Total expenditure 1898	\$5,020.25
Unexpended balance January 1, 1898	6,361.46
Total expenditure 1898	5,020.25
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Balance December 31, 1898	\$1,341.21

SEWERS BUILT 1898.

8-inch pipe	1,723 feet.
10 " "	2,154 "
12 " "	1,855 "
18 " "	220 "
Total	5,952 feet.

SEWERS BUILT IN CITY PRECINCT TO DECEMBER
31. 1898.

8-inch pipe	21,235 feet.
10 " "	44,314 "
12 " "	37,879 "
15 " "	10,627 "
18 " "	5,734 "
20 " "	3,434 "
24 " "	1,749 "
30 inch pipe	969 "
Brick, 12-inch x 14-inch	2,758 "
" 16-inch x 24-inch	1,848 "
" 14-inch x 22-inch	350 "
" 20-inch x 32-inch	2,527 "
" 24-inch x 36-inch	17,937 "
" 28-inch x 48-inch	883 "
" 24-inch circular	1,515.5 "
" 30-inch "	402 "
" 38-inch "	4,080 "
24-inch cast-iron pipe	1,576 "
30-inch cast-iron pipe	1,054.5 "

Total, 160,872 feet.

Total miles in City precinct, to date, 30.468.

WEST CONCORD SEWER PRECINCT.

This was the only new work in the precinct during the season and with the exception of the ordinary flushing and minor repairs is the total amount expended in the precinct.

ENGEL STREET OUTLET, AND KIT FACTORY ROAD.

Paid for labor	\$393.39
“ “ pipe	349.07
“ “ brick	58.00
“ “ cement	19.55
“ “ castings	54.81
“ “ trucking	12.40
“ “ blacksmithing	.20
“ “ hardware	12.95
“ “ oil	.60
“ “ wrought iron	1.07
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	\$902.04

Average cost per foot, \$0.487.

Material excavated, sand.

Paid for flushing and cleaning outlets	\$10.34
“ “ new work	902.04
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Total expenditure,	\$912.38
Unexpended balance January 1, 1898	\$1,189.68
Expended 1898	912.38
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Unexpended balance Dec. 31, 1898	\$277.30

EAST CONCORD PRECINCT.

Unexpended balance January 1, 1898	\$158.90
Paid for repairs	12.00
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Balance December 31, 1898	\$146.90

At present we have not in our possession the grades of all old sewers and at times we are confronted with questions of grades and elevations that are not easily answered.

There should be, in the near future, sufficient data secured to plot profiles of the entire sewer system, thus removing some of the doubtful elements now met with.

Respectfully submitted,

W. B. HOWE, *City Engineer.*

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES.

To the City Council:

The Trustees of the Public Library present herewith the report of the Librarian for the year 1898.

This institution, while politically and industrially of less importance than many of the departments of the city government, comes very close to the daily lives of most of our people, and for this reason it is interesting to observe how its privileges are used and extended.

The large number of books of fiction taken from libraries, as compared with those of serious character, is a subject of frequent comment, and is regretted by many who believe that novel reading is a waste of time, and that it tends to weaken character and create false ideas in life. But if it were possible, as it is not, to prohibit or nearly suppress the reading of fiction, the loss in pleasure would far exceed the gain in profit. As Judge Foster wrote in the report of 1892, "imagination has not perished from the earth, and dull and heavy would society become if it ever should or could."

Nevertheless, while we believe that the reading of good fiction in moderation is healthful, it is the policy of the library management to give special encouragement to the reading of other literature. By far the larger portion of the book money is spent upon works of more weighty character; people are allowed to take from the library several non-fiction volumes at one time; the young are encouraged to read books of travel, biography, history and science; the freshest and most attractive volumes of this character are placed upon the delivery desk where they solicit attention; patrons are welcome to the reference room; adults are permitted to take books from the shelves and read them in the alcoves; and the best periodicals are placed upon the tables of the reading room.

The results of this liberal policy are marked. The reference room is well patronized; an increasing number of people are pursuing

courses of serious study either privately or in clubs and classes; and the number of visitors in the reading room for purposes other than merely the reading of stories is large and constant.

The Trustees, actuated solely by a due regard for the public good, urge that city council make ample appropriation for the support of the library. Last year, by reason of necessary repairs, the expense of publishing a much needed non-fiction catalogue, and the reduced amount of the appropriation, but few new books were purchased. Every book published during the year, of general interest and permanent value, as well as the books of the day most talked about, we should like to place upon the shelves; but we have come, and necessarily will come, far short of this ideal limit.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. SANDERS,
AMOS J. SHURTLEFF,
JOHN E. FRYE,
PAUL R. HOLDEN,
JOHN M. MITCHELL,
JAMES S. NORRIS,
WILLIAM W. FLINT,
EDSON J. HILL,
MOSES H. BRADLEY.

Concord, February 9, 1899.

Report of the City Librarian.

To the Board of Trustees of the Concord Public Library:
Gentlemen:—

The report for 1898 can be given in a few gratifying statistics:—the circulation has increased 4000 over last year, bringing it up to almost 89,000, out of which only two books have been lost; 716 new borrowers have been registered, over 100 more than in 1897; and the reading of fiction has decreased 5 per cent.

The gain in circulation is especially gratifying because many libraries complain of a loss owing to the assiduous reading of newspapers during the war.

The increased reading of the more solid works may be ascribed largely to four causes, 1st, the lists for collateral reading given teachers and pupils by our school superintendent; 2nd, the reference work done by the yearly increasing scientific, literary or current events clubs; 3rd, the interest aroused in travel and history by the Walker Lectures; 4th, the rapidly growing use of the non-fiction card.

It is interesting to note that a new book set forth in the boy's corner is snapped up in five minutes, while a book in the girl's corner may remain unnoticed for days; yet when they are grown up, the girls become better users of the Library than the boys and seem to believe it has books which can help them; while it is to be wished that men realized we try to keep a supply of books useful in their vocations, from those on municipal government to those on sanitary plumbing or poultry-raising. Again I will say that we want recommendations from experts as to the best books in their specialties, particularly in science and the useful arts, in which departments books get so quickly superannuated.

Besides the Library's prosperity along its regular lines, it has gained during 1898 in two unusual matters of great importance; it has a new roof, and a new, complete, printed non-fiction catalogue. Upon the latter the "Library Journal," the national organ of the profession, has set the seal of its approval, and in conse-

quence we are getting bequests from as remote states as New York, Illinois and Louisiana for samples of what the "Journal" was pleased to call "a good working model for other libraries."

The expense attendant upon the roof and the catalogue has cramped our action in other respects, but this year the appropriation can be divided so as to allow the purchase of more books and the making of improvements in incidental ways.

It has taken four years hard work to modernize the Library. It may be more puzzling to keep it from standing still. But there are always the library periodicals to ponder, library conventions to attend, the inspection of other libraries and best of all, the study of local needs, to give one fresh ideas as to policy and management. The writer has made it a point to visit libraries in twenty-two different towns and cities since she came into office. The recent annual meeting of the State Library Association held this year in Portsmouth, was most helpful and interesting.

If, as George Elliot says, "the way to get much out of an individual is to expect much of him," may it not be so with institutions?

Let the public try it on the Library,

Respectfully submitted,

C RACE BLANCHARD, *Librarian*.

SANITARY. DEPARTMENT.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

TO HIS HONOR THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL :

Gentlemen :—In submitting our annual report we desire to congratulate our fellow citizens upon the excellent sanitary condition of Concord during the year, and to express our appreciation of the hearty co-operation which we have received in our efforts to secure a thorough and impartial enforcement of the regulations under which the business of this department is conducted. Our sanitary officer, Mr. Charles E. Palmer, has fully maintained his reputation as a model official, and his report to this board which is herewith submitted gives ample proof of his zeal and industry. We think the city is exceedingly fortunate in possessing an official who fills a position of so great importance to the welfare of the community in a manner which meets with the unqualified approval of all with whom his duties bring him in contact. His report indicates that the work of the year has been carried on along the same general lines as formerly, and if a greater amount has been accomplished it has been because the co-operation of your honorable body, the medical profession, and the community generally has made the prescribed tasks easier of accomplishment.

Our Schools.

All must admit the great need of providing the best arrangements for lighting, heating, ventilating and plumbing in buildings occupied for so many hours every year by those of tender age, and must recognize the menace to health occasioned by serious defects in any of these essentials. Our school buildings may be in as good sanitary condition as the average in the state, and yet

be far from the standard of today; many of them were constructed years ago and have not been improved as the progress of the times demand. If the condition is such as to warrant changes in order that the best interests of the scholars and teachers may be subserved, then these changes should be made without delay. In many cases the basements are poorly lighted, and particularly in those parts wherein are placed the water closets and urinals; the air here is bad, unpleasant odors are prominent, and yet much of this finds its way to the floors above by the natural outlets, and even through the loosely jointed wooden boxes supplying what is supposed to be pure air to the furnaces. In some instances the main sewer pipe of the sewer is ventilated a few feet from the window occupied by the cold air duct for the furnace. It is not difficult to believe that those rooms receive impurities in the air furnished them for heating. The drinking water is supplied in the basement, and, in some, from wooden pails, with tin dippers, not always bright and clean. There is a reasonable doubt about the ventilation of the latrines; the cover of the vault is open a good part of the time, and the seats of the closet are more often open than closed. Some of these, when examined, showed very little suction power to the ventilating pipe. It would seem wise to have this system replaced by the more modern sanitary arrangement in use in the schools recently built. Three of our schools in the compact part of the city still maintain outhouses not connected with the sewer; the Tahanto school has had new heating and ventilating introduced during the past year, and sanitary water closets; the West End school will remove the objections to the Bow Brook school, leaving the Manual Training and Sewing schools to be provided for this season. Everything considered, the West Concord school is probably in the poorest condition of the schools in the city, and radical changes will be necessary to put it in a sanitary state.

To attain the best results, more thought and work must be devoted to the physical side of school life; a sound body is as necessary today as ever to maintain a sound mind, and all the environments of school children must be jealously guarded to realize the full blessings of education.

City Ambulance.

Some years ago the city purchased an ambulance, but so far as we can learn from a careful perusal of the city records, did not place it under any specific regulations. It was put in charge of the police department without any definite instructions. In a matter of so much importance, there should be no doubt on any point—the police should be given such rules for their guidance that there could not be at any time any question as to their duty in the premises. There are cases such as small-pox, diphtheria, scarlet fever, and measles, which would properly be placed in our charge with full power. All others, as emergencies, accidents, and ordinary cases of illness not specified as being under our board, could with safety and propriety be delegated to the police department.

We would respectfully recommend that you draft rules and regulations for its equipment and management that will remedy the existing condition.

PLUMBING LAWS.

We have at different times in our reports referred to the great necessity of having some wholesome supervision of plumbing in our city, and have been instrumental in giving opportunities to physicians, plumbers and others to consider the question. We have not found any opposition to such a measure; all are agreed that it is urgently needed and that its results from every standpoint will be beneficial. There is every reason of assurance that the present legislature will enact a law compelling cities to regulate and supervise all plumbing done in its precincts. As it is today, every one having any alterations in his plumbing or any new work done is entirely dependent on his confidence in the ability and integrity of the man doing the work; there is no authority to say what shall be done. Hence so many unscientific specimens of so-called sanitary plumbing. As much of the work is buried under ground or placed between floors, its worst features are oftentimes not recognized until some obscure illness develops and the

attending physician calls in our Health Officer to examine the plumbing. Then the cause of the trouble is found—a loose joint or broken pipe with sewer gas freely pouring out. The effects of this poison are so gradual, yet at the same time so ruinous, that it usually happens the system is severely damaged before the origin of the trouble is discovered. We have known in this city of many instances of flagrant violations of even ordinary workmanship where sickness was directly traceable to it: fixtures improperly trapped are not vented, joints not closely made, pipes imperfect, all turned over to the property-owner without any test having been made. This very serious menace to health has been too long tolerated in our community; our common interest demands its immediate remedy. If these conditions were not so, we would not hear so much talk of the greater safety in the old-fashioned earth-closet nor meet with the opposition, as at present, to make connections with the public sewer. Our hope is that every party advertising to do plumbing must satisfy competent examiners of his efficiency before he can engage in business, that all his work shall be done according to specifications furnished him by a legally authorized commission, and finally have the results of his labor examined and approved by an inspector before it is accepted.

Contagious Diseases.

The board have been highly gratified at the uniform success attained in preventing the spread of such contagious diseases as have appeared in our community.

While in placing credit for this happy outcome, the medical fraternity should not be ignored, the afflicted families are also deserving of much praise for the faithful manner in which they have seconded our efforts: they have seemingly appreciated that it is our wish and as we believe our duty to render every assistance in our power to the sick, as well as to protect the public health. It is certainly never our purpose to impose any unnecessary hard-

ship. A bill is likely to be presented to the Legislature this winter which if approved will materially aid boards of health in the care of families placed in quarantine.

E. A. CLARK, M. D.,

D. E. SULLIVAN, M. D.,

E. N. PEARSON.

Board of Health.

REPORT OF SANITARY OFFICER.

To the Board of Health :

Gentlemen : I have the honor to present herewith the report of my labors as Sanitary Officer for the year ending December 31, 1898, in which report will be found a brief account of the sanitary conditions of the city during this period, and the results which have been attained by the department in its various lines of sanitary work.

GENERAL HEALTH OF THE CITY.

As our report for the year 1897 stated, so we can say in our report for the past year, there has been no epidemic of a serious character. This is undoubtedly due in part to the existence and maintenance of proper sanitary conditions throughout the city. Urgent efforts have been continually made to cause the abatement of any nuisance which has come to our knowledge, as speedily and completely as possible, and as a result the city has been kept almost free during the past year.

The number of deaths registered during the year was 303, 46 less than the previous year. This includes all that died at the hospitals and other institutions, a large number of whom came here for treatment from other localities, and are eliminated from the death rate.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES.

The following table shows the number of contagious diseases reported during each month of the year and the deaths resulting therefrom ;

Months.	DIPH- THERIA.		SCARLET FEVER.		TYPHOID FEVER.		MEASLES.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
January			2				17	
February	1		1				10	
March			2				75	
April			1				12	
May			2				2	
June							1	
July							1	
August	1				1	1		
September					1			
October	1				4	1	1	
November					2	1	1	
December	1					1		
	4		8		8	4	126	

Number of cases of typhoid fever brought to hospital from Chickamauga and other places, 64 ; deaths, 4.

RECORD OF CONTAGIOUS DISEASES BY WARDS.

Wards.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total
Diphtheria.....						1	3			4
Scarlet Fever.....	1			5					2	8
Typhoid Fever.....	2	1	1	1	1	1	1			8
Measles.....	2			18	17	6	77	4	2	126

COMPARATIVE TABLE.

The following table contains the number of cases of contagious diseases and the deaths resulting therefrom, for the years since and including 1890 :

Years,	DIPH- THERIA.		SCARLET FEVER.		TYPHOID FEVER.		MEASLES.		TOTALS.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
1890.....	6	2	9		17	5	6		38	7
1891.....	12	3	7		14	2	2		35	9
1892.....	13	3	37	3	7	1	2		59	7
1893.....	48		41		13		300		402	
1894.....	17	3	113	6	13	3	21		164	12
1895.....	55	8	4		15	5	452		526	13
1896.....	38	8	44	8	21	3	158		261	19
1897.....	13	1	22	1	17	2	138		190	4
1898.....	4		8		8	4	120		146	4

DIPHTHERIA.

While diphtheria has prevailed in many cities and towns around us to an alarming extent, it is a pleasure to record the fact that we have had but very little trouble from this dreaded disease. There have been but four cases reported during the year.

The culture method of assisting in making the diagnosis of cases of diphtheria is very generally employed by the physicians in the city. Tubes for the purpose are furnished by the health department, and can always be procured at this office.

SCARLET FEVER.

There were but eight cases reported at this office during the year. All proved to be very mild, and no deaths resulted from

this cause. Quarantine regulations were strictly observed, thereby preventing its spread.

TYPHOID FEVER.

This disease has declined in the past year, but eight cases being reported, with a fatality of three, not including those brought to the hospital for treatment from other places. While many physicians think this disease is not contagious, it is essential that it should be reported to this department, that the proper care and investigation of the cause of the disease may be attained. Proper measures relative to the disinfection of the discharges of such patients, and their disposal should be invariably and thoroughly carried out, and in no way can this be accomplished without the board having knowledge and authority in these cases.

MEASLES.

Our records show one hundred and twenty-six cases of measles reported with no deaths. Of this number of cases sixty-five developed at St. Paul's school and nineteen cases were at the Orphan's Home adjoining the school.

NUISANCES, COMPLAINTS, INSPECTIONS.

The number and nature of requests for investigation and complaint of existing nuisances, and those found by house inspection, are found by the following table:

Accumulation of decayed fruit, coal ² ashes	19
Bad sink drainage	21
Broken sewer traps	3
Catch basins not trapped	7
Dead animals	19
Decayed meat and fish	3
Defect in house sewer	1
Dumping rubbish	20
Dropping manure in street	3
Defective plumbing	10
Filthy stables	8
Filthy cellars	2
Filthy swill barrels	5

Filthy yards	3
Filthy alleyways	10
Foul and offensive cesspools	3
Keeping hogs	14
Keeping hens	5
Offensive manure heaps	19
Offensive privy vaults	58
Odors arising from water	2
Offensive odor in house	13
Offensive odors from stables	9
Privy vaults full	45
Private sewers obstructed	7
Sinks found without traps	6
Sewer gas in house	5
Stagnant water on vacant lots	2
Street sewer obstructed	7
Sewers not properly ventilated	7
Slaughter houses	1
Surface sink drains	4
Throwing swill in alleyways	4
Throwing swill in ash barrels	3
Throwing ashes in street	5
Throwing slops into street	3
Water closets without water supply	5
Water closets foul and offensive	8
Water closets not ventilated	13
Water closets out of repair	8
Water in cellars	8
Sewerage backed into cellars	5
Total	403

SANITARY INSPECTIONS.

The ordinance requiring house to house inspection has been complied with, as time would allow. And the results obtained by these inspections show the same interesting features of improvement that have been developed in the past. These inspections include the business blocks, school houses, all the buildings located

on the shore of Penacook lake, where our water supply is obtained, factories, stores, markets, alleyways, tenement and private houses. In making this inspection I have tried to impress upon our citizens the necessity of good sanitation, and have endeavored to be considerate in my demands for cleanliness, exacting that which I thought best for the interest of the public health.

PREMISES INSPECTED.

Private dwellings	107
Tenement houses	269
Stores	48
Stables	36
Markets	8
Factories	11
Hotels	3
School houses	28
Alleyways	41
Inspections at Penacook lake	24
Inspections at reservoir	18
Business blocks	34
Total	<hr/> 627

SEWER INSPECTION.

As in other years, I have endeavored to perform my duty in regard to the enforcement of the rules and regulations relative to sewers and drains. During the past year there have been one hundred and six (106) connections made with the public sewer, and a complete record made and kept on file in this office, and copies sent monthly to the city council. The following table shows the various sizes and kinds of pipe used :

1,587	feet of 6 inch Akron pipe.
4,777	" 5 " " "
257	" 4 " " "
198	" 3 " " "
44	" 6 " iron "
100	" 5 " " "
204	" 4 " " "
<hr/> 7,167	

Making a total of 7,167 feet, or an average of about 68 feet to each lateral sewer.

This amount of drainage has been furnished to the following classes of buildings :

Private dwellings	48
Tenement houses	45
Business blocks	6
Factories	1
Churches	1
Public institutions	2
Stables	3
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	106
Water closets put in	213
Privies abolished	114
Cesspools abolished	63
Surface drains abolished	42

INSPECTION OF PLUMBING.

From personal observation I am, and long have been, thoroughly convinced that one of the urgent and indispensable needs for a proper sanitary administration in Concord, is an inspector of plumbing.

While defective plumbing is not universal in our city, I believe there is much bad workmanship in existence, in both old and new work. In many instances I have been requested to examine the source of bad odors in dwelling houses and business blocks, and almost invariably these complaints were in direct traceable connection with faulty plumbing of water closets, bath tub, or wash basin. There is no ordinance on the subject of plumbing, and I earnestly renew at this time my suggestion of other years, that an inspector of plumbing be appointed, and the enactment of ordinances, similar to those in force in other cities. Honest, skillful plumbing alone can secure the inhabitants of dwellings having modern conveniences in them against the poisonous sewer gas. Careless and dishonest plumbing is always and under all circumstances, full of danger to the inhabitants. There is but one way possible out of this difficulty, and that is to have a sanitary plumb-

- ing inspector appointed, whose duty it shall be to test the plumbing of each building, as it is finished by the plumber, and certify to the city whether or not the work has been carefully and honestly planned and executed :

Houses placarded in cases of contagious diseases	140
Placards removed	140
Visits made to contagious diseases	491
Rooms fumigated	83
Pieces of bedding and clothes burned	118
Pieces of clothing disinfected at pest house	84
Library and school books fumigated	64
Burial permits issued	303
Burial permits issued to non-residents	67
Transfer permits issued	75
Peppermint tests of plumbing made	23
Water tests made	2
Smoke tests witnessed	2
Number of reports of contagious disease sent State Board of Health	32
Number of monthly mortuary reports sent in exchange to other cities	1200
Number of certificates issued for children to return to school	26

EXPENSES OF THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR 1898.

	Appropriations.	Expended.	Balance.
Salary, Sanitary Officer.....	\$800.00	\$800 00	.....
Salary, Board of Health.....	75 00	75 00	.....
Rent.....	108 00	108 00	.....
Lights.....	10.00	2 40	\$7.60
Care of pest house.....	15.00	6.02	8 38
Assistant Sanitary Officer.....	100.00	30 80	60.20
Bacteriological tests.....	150.00	62 80	87.20
Material for fumigation.....	27 00	6.41	20.59
Incidental expenses.....	150.00	112 12	37 80
	\$1,435.00	\$1,213.15	\$221.85

A table appended exhibits the mortuary statistics for the year 1898.

Again I most respectfully return sincere thanks to His Honor, the Mayor, members of the City Council, and Board of Health, and other city officials for many courtesies shown me in dealing with matters relative to the Health Department.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES E. PALMER,

Sanitary Officer.

MORTALITY REPORT.

MORTUARY REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1898.

Sex.	Months.												Whole Number.			Ages.												
	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	Sept'm'r.	October.	Nov'm'r.	Dec'm'b'r.	Unkn'w'n	Totals.	Under 1.	1 to 5.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 30.	30 to 40.	40 to 50.	50 to 60.	60 to 70.	70 to 80.	Over 80.		
	Causes of Death.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Totals.																						
F.																												
M.																												
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MORTUARY REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1898.—Continued.

Sex.	Months.										Whole Number		Ages.										Unkn'wn					
	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	Sept. m.r.	October.	Nov'm.r.	Unkn'wn	Males.	Females.	Totals.	Under 1.	1 to 5.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 30.	30 to 40.		40 to 50.	50 to 60.	60 to 70.	70 to 80.	Over 80.
	Causes of Death.																											
F.	1							1	2			1		5			Cancer.....						3		2			
M.									1			1	2		7		Cancer.....									1		1
M.	1														1		Cancer of Lip.....											1
F.												1		1		1	Cancer of Stomach.....						1					
F.	1													2		2	Cancer of Uterus.....						1	1				
M.					1									1		1	Carcinoma.....											1
M.									1					5		9	Cholera Infantum.....											
F.								2	1					4		5	Cholera Infantum.....											
M.	1													1			Cirrhosis of Liver.....											1
M.	1													1		2	Cirrhosis of Liver.....						1					
M.											1			1		1	Compression of Brain.....										1	
F.														1		1	Convulsions.....											
F.														1			Cystitis.....											1
M.														1		2	Cystitis.....								1			
M.				1	2			1						3		3	Debility.....										1	
M.			2			1								3		8	Dementia.....					3						

F.	1	2							Diabetes.	3	3	1	1	1	1		
F.	1								Diarrhoea.	1	1				1		
F.	1	1	1	1					Dropsy.	3		1				2	
M.		1	1	1					Dropsy.	2	5		1		1		
M.		2							Drowned.	2	2	1				1	
F.	1								Embolism.	2	1		1				
M.	1	1							Erysipelas.	2	2			2			
F.	1	1	2	1					Enteritis.	5	2		1	1		1	
M.	1		1	1	1				Enteritis.	3	8		1	1		1	
F.				3					Enterocolitis.	3	3	2	1				
F.	1		1	1	1				Heart Disease.	5					1	2	1
M.	1	2	2	1	1	1			Heart Disease.	12	17			2	2	3	4
M.		1							Hemiplegia.	1	1					1	
F.	1	1		1					Hemorrhage.	3				1	1		1
M.				/		1			Hemorrhage.	1	4	1					
M.			1	2	1	2			Typhoid, Hospital.	6		1	5				
F.					1	1			Typhoid, Hosptal.	2	8		2				
M.	1	1	1	1					Fracture.	2	2		1	1			
M.	1		2	1					Gastritis.	4	4	2				2	
M.									Gastro-Enteritis.	1		1					
F.			1						Gastro-Enteritis.	1	2			1			
M.		1							Hyper trophy of liver.	1	1				1		

MORTUARY REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER, 31, 1898.—Continued.

Sex.	Months.												Whole Number.			Ages.															
	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	Sept'm'r.	October.	Nov'm'b'r.	Dec'm'b'r.	Unkn' w'n	Causes of Death.	Male.	Female.	Unkn' w'n	Totals.	Under 1.	1 to 5.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 30.	30 to 40.	40 to 50.	50 to 60.	60 to 70.	70 to 80.	Over 80.	Unkn' w'n
F.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1						Imperfect Develop'm't	4	4	4	4	4												
M.								1						Intestinal Obelusion..	1	1		1	1							1					
F.							1							Intestinal Obstruction	1	1		1	1								1				
M.					1									Intestinal Obstruction	1	1		2	2									1			
F.						1								Kidney Disease.....	1	1		1	1								1				
F.												1		Laryngitis.....	1	1		1	1												
M.	1													Laryngitis.....	1	1		2	2												
M.	2										1			LaGrippe	3	3		6	6							1			1		
F.	2										1			LaGrippe	3	3		6	6					1					1		
F.										1				Malformation	1	1		1	1												
F.			1											Marasmus	1	1		1	1								1				
M.					1					1				Marasmus.....	3	3		4	4	2	1										
F.									1					Melancholia	1	1		1	1											1	
M.			1	1						1				Melancholia	4	4		5	5							1			3		
F.	1					1								Meningitis	2	2		2	2	1	1										
M.	1	1	1						1					Meningitis	3	3		5	5	1	1						1				

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Report of City Physician.

To His Honor the Mayor and City Council:

Gentlemen: I take pleasure in submitting, herewith, my report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1898.

Number of visits	.	.	.	36
Vaccinations of school children	.	.	.	55
Office consultations	.	.	.	12

There has occurred very little of interest or importance in my department during the past year.

The prevailing status of good health throughout the city, especially as to contagious diseases, lessened, materially, the demands made upon the city physician.

To the credit of our efficient Board of Health, may it be said, that this condition of things is largely due to its watchfulness and painstaking interest, whereby unsanitary conditions have been removed and the spread of contagion limited.

The custom of sanitary inspection, now in vogue, and the establishment of the office of inspector of plumbing, a movement toward which, is already on foot, will add very much toward establishing a greater sense of security in our midst. The public mind is fast becoming accustomed to hygienic improvements and less resentful toward the modern and scientific methods of preventing and handling disease.

Instead of the old feeling, born of ignorance, that their liberties are being curtailed and rights ignored, people are now looking to it themselves, that no unsanitary conditions be allowed to exist in their midst.

The world-wide reputation of the successful employment of Anti-toxin in the treatment of Diphtheria, has lost nothing, whatever, by its use in Concord, where many cases, treated promptly, are now living examples of its great efficiency. Liberal appro-

priations should be made, that the Board of Health and City Physician may not be handicapped, but able to act promptly when this dreadful disease appears in our city.

In many cities, the City Physician occupies a position on the Board of Health, either *ex-officio* or by regular appointment. I think this custom a good one, inasmuch as it would bring him into closer touch with the board and increase the efficiency of both departments. This would prove especially important during a prevailing epidemic when the two departments are necessarily brought more closely together.

On July 17th I was called, by the City Marshal, to the morgue of Louis A. Lane, to view the remains of an unknown man, found floating in Soucook River. I found the body in an excellent state of preservation, but as no signs of violence could be discovered pointing to foul play, it was not deemed best by the coroner to act further in the matter.

In my work at the Police Station, I have nothing but praise to offer for the courteous treatment shown me by the City Marshal and all of his officers, and am pleased to commend the prompt action on the part of the department in attending to the inmates, when medical or surgical aid was needed.

That better service may be rendered to the sick and injured whose condition is not serious enough to require removal to the hospital or their homes, but whose temporary retention the law requires, I would suggest that the best adapted cell for the purpose be supplied with proper furnishings to make such persons comfortable. Also, that a stock of medical and surgical supplies necessary for emergency cases be constantly provided. Both of these suggestions can be carried out with but little expense and better service can thereby be rendered.

The question of a contagious hospital, which was considered several years ago but dropped on account of serious objections made by property owners, is still just as important as at any other time. The main objection then raised by owners of adjacent property that the presence of such a hospital would injure the value and rental of property on account of the supposed danger of the diseases spreading to houses in the vicinity, are fallacious ones in the light of modern knowledge, inasmuch as the his-

tory of such diseases from year to year shows no such baneful results attending their treatment in private houses in all sections, high and low, of the city. How much less, then, would be the danger from a hospital, set a little apart from private dwellings, well-appointed and scientifically managed. In much larger cities than Concord, where land is higher and buildings more crowded, these valuable institutions are found located, either as distinct hospitals or pavilions connected with some general hospital. Such a building, modern in all of its appointments, located in connection with the Margaret Pillsbury General Hospital, heated by the same system and conducted under the same management, could be most economically run and at all times prepared to receive patients.

Such an institution would not be a menace to this section of the city, but would save the spreading of disease and the depopulation of whole families, should a severe epidemic occur in crowded tenements or blocks, or under other conditions unfavorable to its proper management and control. The conception of a contagious hospital should not embody the idea of a "pest house," as it would still be necessary to care for Small Pox in the building on the plains, but the more common diseases of Diphtheria, Scarlet Fever and Measles that at times appear in severe epidemic and malignant form.

Experiences during the last war have illustrated well, both in successes and failures, the wisdom of the old adage, "in time of peace prepare for war." So may this city not be flattered by the peaceful serenity of good health that has prevailed for several years, but prepare in season for the successful handling of contagion whenever it may come.

CHANCEY ADAMS,
City Physician.

POOR DEPARTMENT.

THIRTY-FIRST ANNUAL REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF THE POOR FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1898.

TO THE CITY COUNCIL :

Gentlemen,—The undersigned herewith submits the thirty-first annual report of expenditures for the poor, including Wards 1 and 2, for the year ending December 31, 1898, as follows :

Families and individuals having a settlement in the city have been aided, in part or in full, during the time, to the amount set opposite their respective names.

Mrs. Thomas H. Clark	.	.	.	\$256.42
Ernest Beliveau	.	.	.	42.43
Mrs. G. S. Wilson	.	.	.	15.00
Albert Shaw	.	.	.	15.00
Patrick Hackett	.	.	.	30.00
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				\$358.85

COUNTY POOR.

James H. T. Craigue	.	.	.	8.00
Mrs. O. Philbrick	.	.	.	32.49
Mary Byrne	.	.	.	84.00
Bridget Collins	.	.	.	71.98
Mrs. J. Melanson	.	.	.	132.99
Coleman Bray	.	.	.	152.74
Maxim Melanson	.	.	.	129.56
Chester F. Laird	.	.	.	119.62
Mrs. C. E. Howe	.	.	.	11.00
John Storin	.	.	.	110.00
Annie Rushlow	.	.	.	120.00
Frederick Paradis	.	.	.	184.20
Samuel Truett	.	.	.	128.28

Charles L. Cook	.	.	.	47.00
W. G. Tandy	.	.	.	89.96
Robbins T. Orr	.	.	.	183.88
Kate Darnau	.	.	.	74.99
F. W. Story	.	.	.	114.48
Mrs. Charles Dennen	.	.	.	177.94
Mrs. Wm. Hunneman	.	.	.	181.71
Mrs. Polly Woodbury	.	.	.	37.00
James J. Veasey	.	.	.	138.99
Mrs. Eugene I. Davis	.	.	.	140.08
John F. O'Neil	.	.	.	33.75
Lydia S. Couch	.	.	.	104.49
Joseph Benoit	.	.	.	26.00
Levi Chenette	.	.	.	2.62
Frank Bodeau	.	.	.	21.98
Mary Durgin	.	.	.	7.75
Charles Truchon	.	.	.	109.50
Fred W. Heath	.	.	.	11.98
George E. Hannaford	.	.	.	9.74
George N. Ash	.	.	.	6.00
Joseph Minor	.	.	.	55.00
Fred Palmer	.	.	.	6.00
Helen Cotter	.	.	.	81.51
A. Lapierre	.	.	.	5.00
Mrs. John Kelley	.	.	.	3.50
Edward Osier	.	.	.	72.25
Mrs. Ella Friend	.	.	.	126.18
Isaac Leonard	.	.	.	123.96
Frank Houston	.	.	.	2.44
Charles L. Quimby	.	.	.	17.97
George Noble	.	.	.	2.49
Wm. S. Page	.	.	.	54.00
Mrs. Dennis Donovan	.	.	.	61.00
William Silver	.	.	.	12.00
James Clinton	.	.	.	97.75
Mrs. Wm. Chenette	.	.	.	6.63
Mrs. M. Howe	.	.	.	98.02
Peter Keenan	.	.	.	108.05

Melinda Howard	2.56
Anna Jones	60.00
E. A. Murray	24.00
John G. Peterson	3.00
Wm. H. Ash	17.77
Joseph Lavoil	36.92
Celina Barabeau	22.00
Henry McCloud	34.92
Mrs. Levi Minor	97.71
Mrs. Patno	3.16
Charles Dennis	16.81
M. J. O'Connell	38.24
A. D. Harriman	5.61
Mrs. Helen Ham	135.99
Elmer Welch	92.31
Mrs. John Dupery	24.99
W. G. Smith	13.99
Joseph Lavine	14.25
William Davis	16.00
Mrs. Ethel Perry	63.24
John B. Lamay	52.00
Timothy Gendron	28.00
Joseph Goodreau	39.00
Joseph Goodie	30.00
Fanny Groux	56.17
Mrs. Clara Wiggin	56.20
Joseph Previe	56.02
Mrs. James Jenness	6.70
Myron H. Sessions	21.88
Lewis Jarvis	12.50
Joseph H. Stoneham	26.75
Mrs. Eliza Cummings	24.00
George I. Estes	16.00
Mrs. Eugene O'Neil	6.00
Mrs. Emily W. Shaw	18.90
Nelson Harrou	6.50
Fred W. Nudd	13.61
Frank H. Ash	14.00

H. L. Cross	.	.	.	.	7.67	
John Welcome	.	.	.	.	4.00	
Albert Mason	.	.	.	.	18.99	
James Dugan	.	.	.	.	17.85	
John Rodd	.	.	.	.	6.50	
Sarah J. Hall	.	.	.	.	6.00	
Lewis H. Carron	.	.	.	.	3.50	
James B. Fraser	.	.	.	.	67.80	
Transient account	.	.	.	.	319.99	
						\$5,398.45
Amount paid for support of city poor					\$358.85	
Amount paid by the city for the support of county poor					5,398.45	
Total amount paid on account of poor						\$5,757.30

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH A. COCHRAN, *Overseer of the Poor.*

Aid to Dependent Soldiers and their families rendered during the
year 1898.

CHARGEABLE TO CITY.

Mrs. Henry M. Sanborn	.	.	.	\$53.80	
Orrin Larkin	.	.	.	109.35	
Stephen Lamprey	.	.	.	104.00	
					\$267.15

CHARGEABLE TO COUNTY.

George W. Johnson	.	.	.	\$196.74	
W. H. Sargent	.	.	.	218.50	
E. N. Pinkham	.	.	.	273.14	
Horace Page	.	.	.	28.00	
Michael Storin	.	.	.	182.00	
Harriet Ash	.	.	.	46.45	
William Wallace	.	.	.	127.93	
Helen L. Griswold	.	.	.	40.23	
Otis H. Reister	.	.	.	79.99	
Honora Sullivan	.	.	.	129.25	
Charles M. Davis	.	.	.	18.00	

Lucretia A. Danforth	.	.	.	35.50
Eli Sturgeon	.	.	.	40.44
Mrs. John H. Heath	.	.	.	67.00
Mary J. Oakley	.	.	.	107.86
N. W. Davis	.	.	.	162.05
Lester Fletcher	.	.	.	72.00
W. C. Wilmot	.	.	.	161.70
George Papino	.	.	.	12.67
Charles H. Norton	.	.	.	19.50
Mrs. Herbert Secord	.	.	.	20.00
Emeline C. Drew	.	.	.	29.00
Arthur E. Lawrence	.	.	.	6.00
John F. Guild	.	.	.	12.36
Eliza B. Tandy	.	.	.	17.24
William D. Locke	.	.	.	67.50
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				\$2,171.05
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Total amount	.	.	.	\$2,488.20

ASSESSORS' REPORT.

To the Taxpayers of the City of Concord: The Board of Assessors respectfully submit for the benefit of the taxpayers of the city, such information as seems to them, would be interesting to all. In the first instance we give the total valuation of the city:

Number of Polls assessed :

in 1897 was	4,812
In 1898 was	4,691
Decrease,	122
Improved and Unimproved Lands and Buildings, 1897,	\$9,278,174
“ “ “ “ “ “ 1898,	9,425,735
Increase,	\$ 147,561
Horses :	
Number of horses, 1635, 1897,	\$84,000
“ “ “ 1621, 1898,	77,398
Decrease,	\$6,602
Oxen :	
Number of oxen, 52, 1897,	\$2,415
“ “ “ 44, 1898,	2,160
Decrease,	\$ 255
Cows :	
Number of Cows, 1,216, 1897,	\$19,092
“ “ “ 1,239, 1898,	20,327
Increase,	\$6,335
Neat Stock :	
Number of Neat Stock, 15, 1897,	\$ 195
“ “ “ “ 141, 1898,	1,120
Increase,	\$ 925
Sheep :	
Number of Sheep, 268, 1897,	\$542
“ “ “ 255, 1898,	506
Decrease,	\$ 36

Hogs:

Number of Hogs, 63, 1897,	\$460
“ “ “ 29, 1898,	240
Decrease,	\$220

Carriages:

Number of Carriages, 398, 1897,	\$29,485
“ “ “ 213, 1898,	21,975

Decrease	\$7,510
Stock in Public Funds, 1897,	\$25,850
“ “ “ 1898,	26,400

Increase,	\$ 550
Stock in Banks, 1897,	\$300,609
“ “ “ 1898,	269,447

Decrease,	\$ 31,102
Corporations out of State, 1897,	\$40,550
“ “ “ 1898,	9,960

Decrease,	\$30,590
Money on hand or on deposit, 1897,	\$202,668
“ “ “ “ 1898,	215,464

Increase,	\$ 12,796
Stocks in trade, 1897,	\$666,048
“ “ “ 1898,	553,037

Decrease	\$113,011
Mills and Machinery, 1897,	\$69,402
“ “ “ 1898,	46,790

Decrease,	\$22,612
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1898 Valuation by wards:

Assessors.

Ward 1,	\$ 787,551	Oliver J. Fifield.
Ward 2,	293,880	William A. Cowley.
Ward 3,	398,430	Joseph E. Shepard.
Ward 4,	2,443,228	Daniel C. Woodman.
Ward 5,	3,081,417	Geo. F. Underhill.
Ward 6,	2,064,000	Geo. S. Dennett.
Ward 7,	912,633	Jona. B. Weeks.
Ward 8,	862,135	John J. Lee.
Ward 9,	305,385	James Ahern.

\$11,148,659

GEORGE F. UNDERHILL, (Ward Five),
Chairman Board of Assessors.

APPROPRIATIONS, VALUATION OF CITY AND PRECINCTS—
5 PER CENT. ADDED FOR ABATEMENTS.

GENERAL TAX.	Appropriations	5 p.c. added	Tax rate on \$1000.00	Valuation of city and precincts.
State	\$29,500.00	} \$7,620.30	\$14.30	\$11,148,019.00
County	42,201.00			
General school	34,705.00			
City precinct	46,000.00			
City gas and sewer	12,545.00	622.25	1.40	9,228,744.00
City sprinkler	3,500.00	175.00	.40	8,355,791.00
Union school	30,438.00	1,521.90	3.30	9,770,185.00
Town school	800.00	40.00	1.10	750,058.00
West Concord sewer	1,180.00	50.00	4.40	252,340.00
East Concord sewer	170.00	None added	5.20	33,000.00
Water precinct	6,000.00	300.00	.00	10,337,478.00
Penacook lighting precinct ..	1,300.00	65.00	2.30	565,000.00
Penacook sewer	1,760.00	88.00	3.00	600,600.00
Penacook school dist., No. 20..	1,540.00	77.00	2.50	652,800.00
Total	\$211,639.00	\$10,508.45		

Total tax assessed in 1898, as per List Book: Resident, \$219,923.85; non-resident \$1,154.36; total, \$221,080.21.

Police Department.

REPORT OF CITY MARSHAL.

To the Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

I herewith submit my annual report of the police department for the year 1898:

	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Whole number of arrests (including Penacook)	699	697	720	649	876	876	958
Whole number of arrests at Penacook	72	50	44	65	83	73	98
Brought before the court	487	560	628	617	720	698	752
Discharged by the court		2	17	4	8	2	20
Discharged without being brought before the court	140	110	93	85	157	178	186
Total amount received for fines and costs: 1891, \$3,306.92; 1892, \$3,027.78; 1893, \$5,352.19; 1894, \$4,396.60; 1895, \$6,418.92; 1896, \$5,874.16; 1897, \$7,078.72; 1898, \$7,174.82.							
Whole number of lodgers, including Penacook	584	936	1166	908	854	1099	1345
Whole number of lodgers at Penacook	94	170	251	201	158	316	460
Number doors found open and secured (including Penacook)	103	68	184	290	252	233	200
Number doors found open and secured at Penacook	11	6	9	22	18	26	26
Lost children returned to their parents	18	15	21	18	14	21	15
Called to quell disturbances	44	61	80	72	81	90	95
Stray teams found	13	13	16	12	7	3	6
Stray horses found					3	3	3
Number times city ambulance required	29	38	28	31	49	59	52
Number of duty calls rung in on police signal from May 8 to Dec. 1							19,438

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	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898
Assault	31	18	19	16	17	19	15
Aggravated assault		3	1	1	1	1	1
Attempt to commit abortion							1
Breaking and entering	1	14	14	18	9	3	8
Bastardy		1	3	5	2	1	3
Bigamy							1
Defaulter							1
Disturbing religious meeting							1
Drunkenness (including Penacook)	399	340	365	378	488	425	507
Drunkenness at Penacook		35	30	60	63	54	60
Entering Contoocook River Park without paying							5
Evading railroad fare	5	1	1	3	1	3	1
Escaped from House of Correction					5	6	6
False statement in hiring a horse							1
Firing crackers							5
For out of town officers				2	1	11	8
Idle and disorderly persons	1	1	1	1	7	5	15
Insane	9	6	8	4	11	6	8
Keeping dogs without a license			10	9	6	2	4
Keeping malt liquor for sale	13	64	53	77	54	69	63
Keeping malt for sale, second of- fence					4	5	5
Keeping spirituous liquor for sale	7	47	33	57	49	60	51
Keeping spirituous liquor, second of- fence						1	1
Larceny							32
Larceny from the person					1	5	1
Neglecting to support family					1	2	3
Non-payment of fine							1
Obtaining money under false pre- tences							1
Over-driving horse							2
Peddling without license							1
Rude and disorderly conduct	18	14	13	6	7	29	10
Riding bicycle on sidewalk				9	5	3	4
Riding bicycle in White's park							1
Safe-keeping	50	87	45	41	89	116	105
Stealing	25	28	28	5	19	22	10
Selling spirituous liquor	2	4	1	2	7	10	10
Selling malt liquor							3
Selling cider							2
Selling mortgaged property							1
Street walkers					4	1	1

	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Stubborn children	7	3	6	1	3	2	1
Throwing snowballs							2
Truants							13
Number arrests made by James E. Rand			88	144	135	157	155
Daniel S. Flanders			21	34	66	70	54
Fred M. Eaton			69	49	48	24	1
Whitney D. Barrett			19	39	47	43	56
James Kelley			11	25	40	30	54
John E. Gay			1	27	85	78	138
Charles W. Hall			1	20	39	63	67
Charles H. Rowe				8	82	105	115
John G. Putman						62	90
Sam'l L. Batchelder						6	69
Assisting making arrests James E. Rand			65	33	37	19	11
Daniel S. Flanders			42	53	34	57	24
John E. Gay			3	29	21	19	31
Charles W. Hall			9	7	3	31	5
Whitney D. Barrett			7	5	4	9	2
James Kelley			9	5	1	4	2
Charles H. Rowe				2	24	45	31
John G. Putnam						12	24
Sam'l L. Batchelder							6
Arrests made by special officers			38	50	34	20	54
Special officers assisted in making arrests			48	32	7	6	26

The organization of the police department at the present time is as follows:

POLICE COMMISSIONERS.

Charles C. Danforth, Giles Wheeler, Josiah E. Dwight.

G. Scott Locke, city marshal . . .	Appointed June 30, 1888	
James E. Rand, assistant marshal . .	" April 16, 1861	
Daniel S. Flanders, captain night watch .	" Jan'y 26, 1889	
Fred M. Eaton.	" Jan'y 27, 1891	
Whitney D. Barrett,	} regular police	" Jan'y 24, 1893
(Penacook)		" March 23, 1893
James Kelley, "		" August 6, 1894
John E. Gay,		" April 3, 1894
Charles W. Hall,		" Dec. 10, 1895
Charles H. Rowe,	} and night	" May 11, 1897
John G. Putnam,		" Dec. 21, 1897
Samuel L. Batchelder.		

SPECIAL RESERVE OFFICERS.

George H. Silsby, captain.

John T. Batchelder,	Alvin H. Urann,
O. H. Bean,	Harvey H. Oakes,
Willie A. Little,	George N. Fellows,
W. A. Flanders,	Abiel C. Abbott,
George W. Chesley,	Thomas P. Davis,
W. H. H. Patch,	Irving B. Robinson,
Hoyt Robinson,	Charles E. Kelley,

Albert W. Braley.

I will renew my recommendation for a stable suitable for a horse, wagon and ambulance.

It can be built after the same architectural design as the police station for \$1,000.

A police telephone line from the South end to Penacook with twelve boxes at convenient points has been constructed by the N. E. Telephone Co. and has proved to be a very efficient aid to this Department.

The number of duty calls that have been rung in by police officers from May 8 December 31 is 19,438 besides a large number of emergency calls the cost being only about \$160.00 per year for use and repairs.

The total cost of the police department for the year 1898 was

\$11,203.26 the receipts from fines and costs have been \$1,174.82.

The total cost to the tax payers for the police department during the year 1898 was \$4,028.44.

On account of the increased business at the South end there is a demand for an additional night officer, only one night officer being on duty south of Pleasant street at the present time.

There is also a demand for an officer at the West End for night duty and I would most respectfully recommend that provision be made for the appointment of two additional officers.

It is customary in many cities to have one police officer for every thousand inhabitants, so it can be readily seen that we have a very small force for a city of this size.

In submitting my report I desire to express my gratitude to the board of police commissioners. His Honor Mayor A. B. Woodworth and the city council for their considerate treatment of this department. Thanks are due to Harry G. Sargent, city solicitor, for valuable assistance rendered.

To all who have contributed to our success we extend our thanks.

To the members of the force my grateful acknowledgement and thanks are tendered, for their efficiency and promptness in the discharge of their duties.

Respectfully submitted,

G. SCOTT LOCKE,
City Marshal.

Report of Clerk of Police Court.

To the City Council.—

The clerk of the police court submits the following report for the year ending December 31, 1898.

Number of civil cases entered, 132.

Received entry fees in civil cases	\$66.00
Received trial fees	16.00
Received continuances	3.75
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		\$85.75
• Paid city treasurer	\$85.75

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY R. HOOD,

Clerk of Police Court

Report of City Solicitor.

To the City Councils: I respectfully submit my annual report as solicitor:

The suit of Trueworthy L. Fowler against the city of Concord, referred to in my last annual report, was terminated at the October term, 1898, of the Supreme Court for Merrimack county by a verdict against the city for the amount of damages claimed which was less than fifty dollars. Up to the time of the trial, it appeared that the city had some defense to the action, but at that time the solicitor became satisfied from the statements of creditable witnesses who were present for the plaintiff, that the city was liable and a verdict was entered by agreement against the city for the aforesaid damages.

In 1897. Lyman Jackman instituted a proceeding to test the constitutionality of the city ordinance requiring abutting land owners to shovel the snow from the side-walks in front of their premises. This question was transferred to the law term and was twice argued orally by the solicitor and two briefs were also filed in behalf of the constitutionality of the ordinance. At the July law term, 1898, the court in an elaborate opinion, rendered by the chief justice, decided that the ordinance was unconstitutional.

At the September term, 1898, of the Supreme court for Belknap county, an action was brought in that county against the city by Edward Rhobidas in which damages were claimed against the city to the amount of ten thousand dollars. The plaintiff claimed that he had received injuries while employed in the water department of the city of Concord during the previous year for which the city was liable to the above amount. The suit was brought a very short time before the commencement of the September term and notice was served upon the city to be ready for trial at that

term. The city was greatly embarrassed by the fact that at the time of the alleged injury Rhobidas had made no claim against the city. Many of the workmen employed who knew about the circumstances attending the injury had left the employment of the city. the whole matter had been forgotten, and if the city went to a trial at the September term, it was almost certain to be crippled and hampered in its defense by reason of its inability to make adequate preparation for the defense of so important litigation. It coming to the attention of the solicitor that the plaintiff was not an inhabitant of Laconia, as alleged in his writ, but on the contrary was a resident of Canada, a plea to the jurisdiction was filed based upon the proposition that the plaintiff could not maintain any action in Belknap county, he being a non-resident.

The questions of fact and of law arising upon this plea were referred by the court to Judge W. B. Fellows of Tilton, who after a lengthy hearing decided in favor of the city and dismissed the suit.

Since the suit was dismissed the plaintiff, Rhobidas, has moved with his family to Laconia and has now brought another suit against the city claiming to recover damages to the amount of ten thousand dollars. The city has now been enabled to look up the facts in the case and are prepared to defend the case upon the merits should occasion arise. Since the last suit was brought the city solicitor has caused to be filed a special plea setting up the defense that, as the immediate management and control of the water department is vested in a board of water commissioners who have the entire charge of the management and details of operating said department, the city is not liable for the negligence of any workmen employed by such board of water commissioners who are public officials and not servants and agents of the city.

Another defense set up by said special plea is that the water precinct established by authority of the legislature does not include the whole city but only a portion thereof, and that it was provided in the act of the legislature authorizing the establishment of said precinct, that all taxes levied are to be levied and assessed upon the taxable inhabitants and property of the precinct and not upon any other part of the city, and the city as such has no beneficial ownership in said precinct except in a gov-

ernmental and legislative capacity and the city is therefore not legally responsible for injuries occasioned by any alleged negligence to the employees of the water department.

The questions of law arising upon this plea filed by the city have been transferred to the law term and will probably be argued at the June law term, 1899. If the decision is in favor of the city upon these legal points, judgment will be rendered for the city without any further trial. If the decision is in favor of the plaintiff upon these legal points, then the case will have to be tried by the jury upon the merits.

The suits against the city, referred to in my last annual report, in favor of Arthur Henry, Edmund M. Proctor, Laura P. Clough, Honor M. Clough and John Callahan for damages to the amount of two thousand dollars caused by surface water as alleged on account of the raising of Pine street have been referred to Hon. James W. Remick for decision. A hearing in said suits was commenced on the 27th day of December, 1898, and was adjourned from that time until the tenth day of January, 1899, at which time the testimony of the witnesses will probably be completed. It is necessary, however, in order to properly protect the interests of the city that a view of the street in question be taken after the snow is gone and while the ground is bare. The case will probably not be argued until some time in March or April after the view is taken.

There are at present pending against the city claims for damages in favor of Henry A. Cleveland, John G. Hook and Nellie Merrill, guardian of Joshua B. Merrill. The first two cases arise out of the change of the location of the track of the Concord Street Railway at Penacook. N. H. The amount claimed by Cleveland is five hundred dollars and the amount claimed by Hook is four hundred fifty dollars.

In the Merrill case, the city government awarded three hundred dollars in full payment of the damages but the amount claimed is one thousand dollars.

There is also pending against the city at this time a suit brought by Bertha E. Braley through her attorneys Leach & Stevens to recover for alleged damages claimed to have been suffered in 1892, on account of the laying out of a highway known

as "Jackson Street Extension." This claim had been presented to the city government some years ago and was disallowed and it was supposed that the matter was ended before a new suit has now been brought as above stated. There is also pending against the city a suit in favor of Edward E. Hodgman and a suit in favor of Mary J. Gay, William H. Gay, and Walter C. Gay to recover for damages claimed to have been suffered in changing the grade of a highway and laying out a highway. It is hoped that these cases may be disposed of by an amicable settlement.

There is also pending against the city a suit in favor of Daniel Higgins. This action was entered at the October term, 1897, and should have been referred to in my last annual report. It was brought to recover for damages occasioned for the alleged negligent construction of a sewer at the north end. The suit was brought by the late Daniel B. Donovan and since his decease no counsel have been employed to carry it on. As it is claimed that the trouble with the sewer resulted from the construction of the tracks of the Boston & Maine Railroad across the line of sewer, the city solicitor has caused the Boston & Maine Railroad to be vouched in as a defendant. If new counsel appear to represent the plaintiff, the action will probably be tried at the April term, 1899 of the Supreme Court for Merrimack county.

During the year advice and assistance have been furnished by me to the officers of the different departments of the city government as requested.

HARRY G. SARGENT, City Solicitor.

Concord, N. H., December 31, 1898.

REPORT OF CITY LIQUOR AGENT.

To the City Council:—

In compliance with Section 10, Chapter 112, of the Public Statutes of this State, and the resolution of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of May 26, 1888, establishing this agency, I respectfully report the transactions of this office for the year 1898.

ON HAND JANUARY 1 AND PURCHASED DURING THE YEAR 1898.

Wines and liquors on hand January 1 per report was 172 1-8 gallons, 140 bottles liquors and malt liquors	\$1,200.30
Purchased of commissioner, liquors 492 gallons, 35 bottles liquors	1,384.85
Total, 664 1-8 gallons. 175 bottles liquors and malt liquors.	
Freight, cartage and express on goods purchased	9.92
Empty bottles on hand January 1, 129	2.90
Empty bottles purchased during the year, 144 .	3.00
	\$2,600.97

MATERIAL AND EXPENSE OTHER THAN STOCK.

Salary of agent	\$600.00
Rent of office	276.00
U. S. internal revenue special tax	25.00
Fuel for the year	18.72
Gas	5.10
Water	7.00
Postage stamps	1.00

4 gross corks	1.85	
Wrapping paper and stationery	1.50	
Window brush and curtain	1.25	
3 keys to faucets30	
Back pipe for stove	1.25	\$938.97
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		\$3,539.94

SOLD DURING THE YEAR 1898.

Wines, liquors and malt liquors, number of sales, 3,279, and 473 7-8 gallons, 46 bottles of liquors and malt liquors	\$1,874.85
Empty bottles sold during the year, 232	18.10
Empty casks sold during the year, 15	15.50
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	\$1,908.45

ON HAND JANUARY 1, 1899.

Wines and liquors, 154 2-8 gallons, 94 bottles liquors.	
Invoice cost	\$460.54
Empty bottles on hand January 1, 50	1.44
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	\$461.98

COST OF GOODS SOLD AND EXPENSES.

Wines and liquors and malt liquors	\$1,384.85
Empty bottles sold	4.46
Other expenditures	947.43
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	\$2,336.74
Cash on hand January 1, 1898 \$	9.70
Cash received for sales in 1898	1,908.45
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	1,918.15
Cash deposited with city treasurer	1,900.00
Cash on hand January 1, 1899	18.15
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	\$1,918.15

MOSES LADD, Liquor Agent.

PUBLIC PARKS.

REPORT OF PARK COMMISSIONERS.

The Park Commissioners submit herewith their annual report :
The appropriation for the system of parks for the past year has been :

White Park,	\$2,850.
Rollins Park,	650.
Bradley Park,	75.
Penacook Park,	75.

WHITE PARK.

The appropriation has been expended during the past year, and while it has been not much more than sufficient to keep the park in good order, some new work has been accomplished.

The commissioners had hoped to construct a tool-house, also to complete the play-ground, but the funds did not admit of this. The force at work consisted of four men besides the superintendent, together with a horse and cart. The work was necessarily slow as so much grade has had to be moved in order to fill up the low and wet parts of the play-ground. If this could be completed at an early date, various questions might be settled in regard to this feature of the park, but with the scheme which is being developed in White Park, making it of use to all classes, it cannot be judged by its incompleteness, but as a whole.

“A park, being a living, growing thing, designed with an object in view that can only be realized in years, should be continuously under one management; hence the positions of park commissioners, and especially the positions of park employes, should be of long terms and free from all political interference.”

“A park is to remain a possession of the people for all time and the measure of its perfection is to be determined by the thoroughness of its preparation.

The lot on the corner of White and Beacon streets was formally

accepted and paid for at a cost of \$1400. during the past year. The possession of this lot will not only complete the territory which is now bounded on every side by streets, but will yield an income from the large amount of grade thereon.

It is also planned to in some way extend Beacon street to High street, thus giving a complete drive about the park.

ROLLINS PARK.

The work at Rollins Park has been of the usual character, but very little new work has been attempted. Plans have been made to develop the opening space bordering on Broadway, and from year to year the work can be carried out as the funds admit. The street, so generously given by Mr. John H. Lamprey, bordering the southern line of this park, should be laid out and graded by the City. The use of the park for picnic parties has been large and some of the open air concerts have been held here. The use of the park is freely offered to all, but a few try to see how much they can abuse it, and, when reprimanded, are insolent.

"Visitors should have a sense of absolute security while in a park. They should be encouraged to have a sense of ownership in the park, and to quickly resent any acts on the part of those who interfere with the pleasure and comforts of others."

The shelter, which was built late in the fall of 1897, has proven a good feature in the park.

The lower pond has been deepened and will be crossed by a bridge, from which paths will extend following the line of the pond.

BRADLEY PARK.

The care of Bradley Park has cost the city about eighty dollars, and the beauty of this little bit of landscape work has been a delight to the many who pass it daily.

The coming year seats should be placed in the positions reserved for them.

Some change in the arrangement of the shrubbery may be necessary, but with an annual expenditure of \$75 or \$80 this spot can be well cared for and be a continual source of pleasure.

PENACOOK PARK.

The sum of \$80.81 has been expended on the grounds, together with some needed repairs on the building. This park has been used but very little as compared with former years, there being no attraction to draw the crowd, yet here the lovers of nature can revel in the beautiful scenery and the magnificent sunsets, making the hours of closing day long to be remembered.

PARKS AND COMMONS.

The triangle at the West End, according to the terms of the gifts, is to be improved this year.

The commissioners ask that an appropriation be made to enable them to put this into proper condition.

There are other pieces of ground about the city which can be beautified and made an ornament in our now increasing park system.

It would seem wise that the powers of the park commissioners be enlarged so that the planting of trees upon the new streets, also the replacing of dead and unsightly trees, may be given into their charge.

ALBERT B. WOODWORTH, Chairman.
BENJAMIN C. WHITE,
WILLIS D. THOMPSON,
GARDNER B. EMMONS,
GEORGE A. YOUNG,
WILLIS G. C. KIMBALL,
WILLIAM P. FISKE.

REPORT OF THE EXPENDITURES BY THE PARK COMMISSIONERS.

There have been approved bills amounting to

account Whites Park,	\$2,982.60
" Rollins Park,	636.60
" Bradley Park,	78.25
" Penacook Park,	80.81
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					3,778.26

Appropriations :

White Park,	.	\$2,850	
Rollins Park.	.	650	
Bradley Park,	.	75	
Penacook Park,	.	75	
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			\$3,650

account White Park :

Wood,	\$77
Horse,	45	.	.	122		3,772.00
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					Deficit,	\$6.26

WHITE PARK ACCOUNT.

Labor	\$2,298.89
Trees and shrubs	64.70
Horse	50.00
Grain, hay, etc.	.	.	.	.	.	.	55.06
Stable rent	.	.	.	.	.	.	20.00
Lumber	.	.	.	.	.	.	50.32
Loam, grade, etc.	.	.	.	.	.	.	216.75
Fertilizer,	.	.	.	.	.	.	22.50
Interest on \$1400	61.25
Hardware,	23.61
Incidentals,	89.52
Care of ducks and swans,	30.00
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							\$2,982.60

ROLLINS PARK ACCOUNT.

Labor,	\$395.52
Teaming,	58.70
Lumber,	45.91
Hardware,	25.23
Plans,	35.00
Incidentals,	76.24

\$ 36.60

BRADLEY PARK.

Labor.	\$54.50
Fertilizer,	15.00
Incidentals,	8.75

\$78.25

PENACOOK PARK.

Labor.	\$76 26
Lumber,	4.55

\$80 81

CEMETERY DEPARTMENT.

To the City Council of the City of Concord.

Inasmuch as the office of Treasurer of the Commissioners of Cemeteries has been abolished, we have no such report of course to call your attention to.

The appropriation of the year past has been expended in grading and preparing the grounds for lots. The unsightly gravel banks have been entirely removed.

This work has been attended with a considerable amount of labor and expense, but we feel that the result amply justifies the expenditures. Your honorable body will not be called upon again for some years for any large appropriations for grading.

Your Commissioners feel that you should for a few years make liberal appropriations for beautifying the grounds in other respects, viz., the planting of trees and shrubs.

We should not feel that we had performed our duty, if we did not again call your attention to the matter of a Chapel. We have served under several administrations without receiving an appropriation for this much desired object. May we not expect such an appropriation at your hands?

JOHN E. ROBERTSON.
CHARLES S. PARKER,
OBADIAH MORRILL,
GEORGE A. FOSTER,
FRANK P. ANDREWS,
GEORGE O. DICKERMAN.

Commissioners of Cemeteries.

GEORGE O. DICKERMAN, Secretary.

PINE GROVE AND OLD FORT CEMETERIES.

To His Honor the Mayor and City Council.

At the beginning of the year 1898 we asked for an appropriation of two hundred dollars for improvements we considered necessary for the year in Pine Grove Cemetery: yet nothing was appropriated at this time for its maintenance: yet a special appropriation of twenty-five dollars was made later in the season for mowing the same, which was nearly all expended for the purpose named. The balance was expended in removing an old tree, which was liable to do damage by falling limbs.

There is now a demand for the grading of seven avenues, as practically nothing has been done to them since they were laid out, and the lots facing these avenues cannot be properly graded until this has been done.

The iron rail placed above the stone wall on the westerly side of the Cemetery should be painted or removed as it is damaging the stone by rust.

While much more is needed, we would recommend an appropriation of two hundred dollars for the present year, which will make a fair beginning.

The foregoing is for Pine Grove Cemetery. It may not be understood by your Honorable Body that another cemetery known as The Old Fort Cemetery, in which a number of [Revolutionary Soldiers are buried, is but a short distance from Pine Grove, for the care of which we would recommend an appropriation of at least Fifty Dollars.

Most respectfully submitted.

CYRUS R. ROBINSON,
SCOTT FRENCH.

Committee of Old Fort and Pine Grove Cemeteries.

WEST CONCORD CEMETERY.

To the City Council.

Your committee on West Concord Cemetery, report for the years 1897 and 1898, as follows ;

		1897	
Jan. 1	Cash on hand,	\$14.81	
	Sale of lots, 1897	57.00	
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Dec. 16	Paid W. F. Thayer,		28.50
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Jan. 1	Balance Jan. 1, 1898		\$43.31
		1898	
	Sale of lots, 1898		57.00
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	Paid		\$100.31
May 12	W. F. Thayer,	\$9.50	
	One Lawn Mower,	8.50	
Oct. 21	Water bill.	6.00	
Oct. 29	W. F. Thayer,	13.50	37.50
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	Cash on hand Jan. 1 1899		\$62.81

JAMES M. CROSSMAN,
JOHN E. GAY.
G. R. PARMENTER.

Committee.

Fire Department.

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGINEER.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

I have the honor to submit the following report of the Fire Department for the year 1898.

The precinct department responded to twenty-two (22) box alarms and fifty-seven (57) still alarms.

At Penacook nine (9) alarms were responded to; at East Concord two (2), and at West Concord two (2).

BOX ALARMS.

Box 19. Feb. 17th, 12:54 A. M. Fire in residence of Chas. L. Fellows, 113 School Street. Cause, attributed by experts at investigation conducted by them, to over-heated furnace. 2,950 feet of hose wet. Recall, 4:19 A. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$17,000.00	\$8,000.00	\$6,500.00	\$6,500.00
Contents,	3,000.00	3,000.00	None.	None.

4-4-4. April 12th, 12:03 P. M. Brush fire on Plains. Extinguished by detail from the department. No loss.

Box 46. April 13th, 8:34 A. M. Fire in Durrell's Block, Pierce Street. Cause, unknown. 1,200 feet of hose wet. Recall, 8:48 A. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$6,000.00	\$40.00	\$4,000.00	\$40.00
Contents,		25.00	None.	None.

Box 23. May 8th, 9:43 A. M. Fire in shed on Ferry Street, owned and occupied by W. P. Ford & Co. Cause, spark from locomotive. 1,150 feet of hose wet. Recall, 9:53 A. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$200.00	\$75.00	\$100.00	\$75.00

Box 26. May 29th, 9:40 P. M. Fire in residence corner of Maple and Union Streets, owned by Sarah L. Bourlet and occupied by E. J. Barber. Cause, gasoline explosion. 900 feet of hose wet. No water, however, used in building. Extinguished by Chemical Co. Recall, 9:51 P. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$1,800.00	\$53.00	\$1,500.00	\$50.00
Contents,	200.00	50.00	None.	None.

Box 24. June 26th, 9:48 P. M. Fire in bakery 157 No. Main Street, owned by Lyster Bros. and occupied by J. B. McLeod. Building south adjoining owned and occupied by Lyster Bros., also slightly damaged. Cause unknown. 450 feet of hose wet. Recall, 9:58 P. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Buildings,	{ \$1,200.00	\$289.50	\$700.00	\$289.50
	{ 7,000.00	12.00	4,000.00	12.00
Contents,	300.00	100.00	None.	None.

Box 37. June 30th, 5:20 P. M. Fire, residence 135 School Street, owned by Augusta M. Stiles and occupied by T. P. Davis, B. P. Davis and W. W. Odekirk. Barn in rear of house destroyed, and house and sheds adjoining, owned and occupied by C. Delage, slightly damaged. Cause, children playing with matches. 1,750 feet of hose wet. Recall, 5:50 P. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Buildings,				
A. M. Stiles,	\$300.00	\$195.00	\$800.00	\$195.00
C. Delage,	500.00	12.00	400.00	12.00
Contents,				
T. P. Davis,	200.00	100.00	None.	None.
B. P. Davis,	100.00	100.00	None.	None.
W. W. Odekirk,	250.00	100.00	None.	None.

Box 23. Aug. 7th, 12:58 P. M. Fire in freight cars in B. & M. R. R. yard, near Ferry Street. Three empty box cars damaged. Cause, spark from locomotive. 200 feet of hose wet. Recall, 1:13 P. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Cars,	\$1,200.00	\$122.00	Blanket.	\$122.00

Box 24. Aug. 17th, 6:07 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of

John Ash, 159 No. Main Street. Needless alarm. 300 feet of hose wet. No loss. Recall, 6:13 A. M.

Box 48. Sept. 2d, 1:44 P. M. Fire in residence of N. A. Dunklee, 46 South Street. Cause, electric wires. Extinguished by Chemical Co. Recall, 1:55 P. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$5,000.00	\$100.00	\$3,500.00	\$100.00
Contents,	2,000.00	50.00	800.00	50.00

Box 51. Oct. 1st, 10:08 A. M. No fire. The crossing of the B. & M. R. R. Co's. local, open circuit fire alarm wires caused an alarm on that system. The engineer, in pursuance of orders, immediately turned in an alarm on the city system. Recall, 10:15 A. M.

Box 12. Oct. 28th, 6:15 A. M. Fire in residence 3 Foster Street, owned by Grace E. Foster and occupied by Leo Bertrand. Cause, overheated chimney. 150 feet of hose wet. Recall, 6:43 A. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$1,000.00	\$40.10	\$700.00	\$40.10
Contents,	200.00	50.00	None.	None

Box 49. Nov. 9th, 5:42 P. M. Fire in barn in rear of 131-2 Dakin Street, owned by Alphonse Beliveau and occupied by Thomas Lapointe. Cause, unknown. 600 feet of hose wet. Recall, 5:59 P. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$50.00	\$50.00	None.	None.
Contents,	30.00	30.00	None.	None.

Box 413. Nov. 15th, 10:17 A. M. Fire in residence 47 So. Main Street, owned by Kate G. Lee and occupied by J. J. Lee. Cause, over-heated chimney. 300 feet of hose wet, but no water used in the building. Extinguished by Chemical Co. Recall, 10:35 A. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$3,500.00	\$40.00	\$3,000.00	\$40.00
Contents,	1,500.00	15.00	1,000.00	15.00

Box 21. Nov. 24th, 1:27 P. M. Fire in double tenement house 75,77 No. State Street, owned by Fannie W. Nutter and

Emma M. Flanders, and occupied by H. F. Elliott and W. F. Chellis. Cause, spilling of alcohol on stove. 1,450 feet of hose wet. Recall, 2:05 P. M.

Building.	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
F. W. Nutter,	\$2,500.00	\$463.00	\$2,000.00	\$463.00
E. M. Flanders,	2,500.00	196.00	2,000.00	196.00
Contents :				
H. F. Elliott,	1,200.00	65.00	800.00	65.00
W. F. Chellis,	1,000.00	90.00	500.00	90.00
E. M. Flanders,	100.00	43.75	50.00	43.75

Box 8. Nov. 29th, 11:55 P. M. Slight fire in Page Belting Co's establishment. Cause, over-heated dry-room. Extinguished by employes without assistance from the department. Recall, 12:03 P. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$12,000.00	None.	\$10,000.00	None.
Contents,	14,000.00	73.19	11,500.00	73.19

Box 17. Dec. 2d, 2:54 A. M. Fire in residence 3, Jackson East Court, owned by Wm. G. Mason and occupied by James Maloney. Cause, hot ashes in wooden receptacle. 550 feet of hose wet. Recall, 3:05 A. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$800.00	\$25.00	None.	None.

Box 5. Dec. 13th, 9:06 P. M. Fire in potato car in B. & M. R. R. yard at foot of Hill's Avenue. Extinguished by Chemical Co. Cause, overheated stove. Recall, 9:14 P. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Car,	\$350.00	\$157.39	Blanket.	\$157.39

Box 34. Dec. 14th, 6:28 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of M. A. Branon, 7 So. State Street. Needless alarm. Recall, 6:37 A. M. No loss.

Box 12. Dec. 19th, 9:51 A. M. Slight fire in kindling wood in residence of W. H. Reed. 210 Rumford Street. Needless alarm. No loss. Recall, 10:01 A. M.

Box 47. Dec. 29th, 4:24 A. M. Fire in residence 18 Clinton Street, owned and occupied by John J. Dooning. Cause, over-heated chimney. 2,000 feet of hose wet. Recall, 4:53 A. M.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
Contents,	1,100.00	900.00	400.00	380.00

Box 48. Dec. 29th, 4:27 A. M. Box pulled for preceding fire. Needless alarm.

STILL ALARMS.

Jan. 2d, 10:45 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Everett Runnells, 31 Union Street. Extinguished by members of Alert Hose Co.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$1,800.00	\$3.00	\$1,000.00	\$3.00

Jan. 24th, 8:53 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Remie Belaire, 2 Foster Street. No loss.

Jan. 29th, 1:11 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Cyrus Abbott, 55 So. State Street. Extinguished by members of Good Will Hose Co. No loss.

Jan. 29th, 3:16 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Joseph Odette, No. Fruit Street. No loss.

Feb. 2d, 5:25 P. M. Explosion of hot water heater in Acquilla Block, cor. Main and Pleasant Streets. No fire.

Feb. 18th, 9:36 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Judge A. P. Carpenter, 193 No. Main Street. No loss.

Feb. 18th, 11:40 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of O. F. Jenkins, 15 Washington Street. Extinguished by members of Alert Hose Co. No loss.

Feb. 21st, 12:25 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of E. D. Clark on Millville road. No loss.

Mar. 1st, 1:21 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of C. W. Davis, 10 Monroe Street. No loss.

Mar. 5th, 8:14 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Elizabeth Prowse, 56 High Street. No loss.

Mar. 14th, 1:32. Chimney fire in residence of A. L. Buck, 12 Pierce Street. No loss.

Mar. 15th, 4:44 P. M. Chimney fire in Centennial Block, No. Main Street. No loss.

Mar. 21st, 5:25 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Geo. A. Foster, 26 No. Spring Street. No loss.

March 22d, 7:15 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Daniel Shine, 5 Lewis Court. No loss.

Mar. 27th, 1:32 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Hon. Geo. A. Cummings, 6 Garden Street. No loss.

April 4th, 10:50 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of W. H. Durant, 11 Thompson Street. Extinguished by members of Good Will Hose Co. No loss.

April 6th, 5:55 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Geo. H. Emery, cor. No. State and Fayette Streets. No loss.

April 7th, 6:27 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Asa Gee, 49 Perley Street. No loss.

April 10th, 11:51 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Emily C. Rines, 106 Warren Street. No loss.

April 28th, 6:55 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Cyrus Abbott, 55 So. State Street. Extinguished by members of Good Will Hose Co. No loss.

May 18th, 1:31 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of J. H. Sanborn, 13 Centre Street. No loss.

May 22d, 2:40 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Timothy P. Sullivan, 49 Lyndon Street. No loss.

May 23d, 1:58 A. M. Fire in store-house in Railroad Square, owned and occupied by Ford & Kimball. Cause, unknown.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building.	\$600.00	\$25.00	None.	None.

May 30th, 9:49 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Mary A. Bass, 33 Downing Street. No loss.

June 27th, 4:50 P. M. A call to investigate cause of smoke at the North Church. No fire.

June 30th, 5:19 P. M. Fire in buildings 135 School Street. See alarm from box 37, same date.

July 8th, 8:28 P. M. Fire in pile of old timber in B. & M. R. R. yard.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Timber.	—	\$5.00	None.	None.

July 9th, 8:50 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Mrs. John Robinson, 48 Concord Street. No loss.

July 17th, 2:43 A. M. Fire in room 18, Cyrus Hill Block. Cause, careless use of matches.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$25,000.00	\$38.30	\$15,000.00	\$38.30
Contents,	40.00	20.00	None.	None.

July 23d, 10:35 P. M. Fire in dump on Clough Avenue. No loss.

Aug. 1st, 7:40 A. M. Chimney fire in Thompson's Block, Pleasant Street. No loss.

Sept. 13th, 2:37 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of C. W. Lynam, 68 Washington Street. No loss.

Sept. 22d, 12:35 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Rev. H. F. Hill, 69 So. Main Street. No loss.

Nov. 2d, 9:36 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of F. G. Mason, 27 Beacon Street. No loss.

Nov. 4th, 7:25 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Geo. Prentiss, 25 School Street. No loss.

Nov. 11th, 12:50 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of C. H. Brown, 11 Perkins Street. No loss.

Nov. 15th, 10:16 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of J. J. Lee, 47 So. Main Street. See alarm from box 413, same date.

Nov. 16th, 11:22 A. M. Fire in garbage crematory on Ridge Street, owned and occupied by the city. Building destroyed before the alarm was given. Cause unknown.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$75.00	\$75.00	None	None.

Nov. 21st, 5:05 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Mrs. A. M. Palmer, 15 Monroe Street. Extinguished by members of Good Will Hose Co. No loss.

Nov. 22d, 4:16 P. M. Fire in residence 9 Franklin Street, owned by the J. B. Merrill estate and occupied by Frank B. Merrill. Cause, over-heated chimney. Responded to by members of Alert Hose Co. Further assistance being required, the Chemical Co. was summoned.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$4,500.00	\$24.73	\$3,000.00	\$24.73

Nov. 22d, 4:24 P. M. See preceding fire.

Nov. 24th, 1:25 P. M. See alarm from box 21, same date.

Nov. 27th, 8:05 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Mrs. L. A. Dyer, 105 Rumford Street. No loss.

Dec. 2d, 2:34 P. M. Slight fire in old overalls, etc., in Lee Bros. shop, rear 62 No. Main Street. No loss.

Dec. 4th, 8:47 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Natt Hurd, 22 Concord Street. Extinguished by members of Good Will Hose Co. No loss.

Dec. 9th, 7:53 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Fred L. Chase, 75 Centre Street. No loss.

Dec. 13th, 12:33 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Joseph Cote, 159 No. Main Street. No loss.

Dec. 23d, 1:42 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Fred Martel, 24 Clinton Street. No loss.

Dec. 24th, 8:40 P. M. Alarm given on account of trouble with electric wires in office of Capital Fire Ins. Co., cor. Main and Depot Streets. No fire.

Dec. 28, 10:26 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of W. B. Blake, 38 South Street. No loss.

Dec. 28th, 11:22 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Miss Frances Nichols, 77 Franklin Street. No loss.

Dec. 29th, 5:44 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Wm. J. Batchelder, 70 South Street. No loss.

Dec. 29th, 6:48 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Frank J. Pillsbury, 14 Thompson Street. No loss.

Dec. 29th, 7:00 A. M. Slight fire in ruins of residence 18 Clinton Street, owned by J. J. Dooning. Destroyed by fire same date.

Dec. 29th, 7:33 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Wm. J. Batchelder, 70 South Street. No loss.

Dec. 29th, 8:16 A. M. Chimney fire in residence of Frank J. Pillsbury, 14 Thompson Street. No loss.

Dec. 30th, 8:07 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of Miss Adotie Leighton, 1 R. R. Square. No loss.

All of the above not otherwise credited were extinguished by the Chemical Co.

PENACOOK.

Jan. 17th, 7:00 P. M. Chimney fire in residence of L. K.

Hall, Main Street. Still alarm. Extinguished by members of Pioneer Co. with pony extinguishers. No loss.

Feb. 8th, 7:00 P. M. General alarm given for fire on Bos-cawen side.

Feb. 26th, 9:50 A. M. Fire in factory of the J. E. Symond's Table Co. Cause, over-heated shafting bearing.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 25.00	\$4,500.00	\$ 25.00
Contents,	10,000.00	350.00	5,000.00	350.00

Mar. 21st, 7:50 A. M. General alarm given for fire on Bos-cawen side.

April 18th, 7:30 P. M. Brush fire near Horse Hill. Extinguished by detail from Pioneer Co. No loss.

April 27th, 8:30 P. M. General alarm given for fire on Bos-cawen side.

June 8th, 8:45 P. M. Fire in Eagle Block, Main Street. Caused by curtain taking fire. No loss.

Aug. 3d, 11:30 P. M. Fire in shed on Merrimack Street, owned by B. F. Varney. Cause. spontaneous combustion. No loss

Nov. 13th, 12:10 P. M. Fire in tenement house on East Canal Street, owned by Cohtoocook Mechanics' and Manufacturing Co., and occupied by Wm. Shepard. Cause unknown.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	—	\$25.00	—	\$25.00

EAST CONCORD.

April 12th, 12:30 P. M. Brush fire on plains. Extinguished by detail from Old Fort Engine Co. No loss.

Sept. 9th, 6:20 P. M. Fire in barn owned and occupied by Joseph Welcome, on Potter Street. Cause unknown.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Barn,	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	None.	None.
Contents,	100.00	100.00	None.	None.

WEST CONCORD.

Jan. 5th, 11:20 A. M. Fire in residence on West State Street

owned by Geo. W. Brown and occupied by Simeon Partridge.
Cause. over-heated chimney.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$3,000.00	\$20.00	\$2,000.00	\$20.00

July 21st, 2:00 P. M. Fire in residence on Tenny Street,
owned by Rev. D. W. Clark and occupied by Ira O. Matthews.
Caused by lightning.

	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. pd.
Building,	\$1,200.00	\$22.50	\$900.00	\$22 50

SUMMARY.

Buildings.	Value.	Loss.	Ins.	Ins. paid	Net loss.
Precinct	\$97,875.00	\$12,541.02	\$60,750.00	\$9,358.02	\$3,183.00
Penacook	5,000.00	50.00	4,500.00	50.00	—
E. Concord	50.00	50.00	—	—	50.00
W. Concord	4,200.00	42.50	2,000.00	42.50	—
Total	\$107,125.00	\$12,683.52	\$68,150.00	\$9,450.52	\$3,233.00
Contents:					
Precinct	\$22,420.00	\$4,811.94	\$15,150.00	\$716.94	\$4,095.00
Penacook	10,000.00	350.00	5,000.00	350.00	—
E. Concord	100.00	100.00	—	—	—
Total	\$32,520.00	\$5,261.94	\$20,150.00	\$1,066.94	\$4,165.00
Buildings	\$107,125.00	\$12,683.52	\$68,150.00	\$9,450.52	\$3,233.00
Total Buildings and Contents	\$139,645.00	\$17,945.46	\$88,300.00	\$10,517.46	\$7,428.00

APPARATUS AND FORCE.

The apparatus and force of the department is as follows :

Precinct, located at the Central fire station, one first class Amoskeag engine, "Eagle," with modern hose wagon, attached to Eagle Steam Fire Engine Company (13 men) ; one second-class Amoskeag engine, "Kearsarge," and modern hose wagon, attached to the Kearsarge Steam Fire Engine company (13 men) ; one second-class Amoskeag engine, "Governor Hill," relief steamer, in charge of an engineer and fireman ; one double 60 gallon tank Halloway chemical engine in charge of two permanent men ; one ladder truck, "City of Concord," attached to hook and ladder company (21 men). There are ten horses owned by the city kept at this station. The precinct companies have swing harnesses upon all apparatus except steamers. There are six permanent men located at the Central station and one permanent man at each hose house within the precinct.

The Alert Hose company (11 men), located on Washington street, has a modern hose wagon with permanent man and horse.

The Good Will Hose company (11 men), located on the corner of Concord and South State streets, has a modern hose wagon with permanent man and horse.

Veterans' Auxiliary company (30 men).

The "Pioneer" steamer, at Penacook (28 men), is a fourth-class Silsby, with hose wagon.

The Cataract company (30 men), at West Concord, has a Hunneman 6 inch cylinder hand-engine, and a second class 4-wheel reel, Amoskeag make drawn by one horse, and provided with swing harness.

Old Fort, at East Concord (30 men), has a 5 inch cylinder Hunneman hand-engine.

HOSE.

Fabric :	
Precinct	8,450 feet.
Penacook	2,200 "
West Concord	750 "
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	11,400 feet.
Leather :	
East Concord	450 feet.

PUBLIC RESERVOIRS

	Capacity, cub c feet.
1. Main street, opposite Abbot-Downing Co.'s	1,000
2. Main street, middle front state house yard . . .	1,500
3. Main street, rear city hall	2,000
4. State street, corner of Washington street*	2,000
5. Rumford street, near Mrs. Josiah Minot's . . .	1,000
6. Orchard street, corner of Pine street*	4,000
7. School street, corner of Summit street* . . .	3,500
*Brick, cemented	

While the number of alarm boxes responded to during the year was thirty-three less than number for the preceding year, a glance at the summary will show the net loss to be larger. The apparatus is in good condition. The Chemical Engine has been retouched and varnished.

No extensive repairing of apparatus has been necessary.

No hose has been purchased during the year, 1650 feet having been relined. As it is fair to presume that some of the old hose will be condemned during the coming year. I respectfully recommend the purchase of 500 feet. The fire alarm telegraph system is in good condition.

One private box and two tappers have been removed and one mil-am-meter and four public boxes have been added to the system.

The main lines have been extended two and one half miles.

The policy pursued by recent administrations has resulted in marked improvement in the service.

The same policy pursued for a short time longer, and but a short

time will be necessary, will result in placing the department on the basis upon which it should rest.

While it is not to be expected that all of the improvements desired can be attained immediately, it will perhaps, not be amiss to enumerate the most important of those desirable. The Central Fire Station should be remodeled and the horses placed behind the apparatus, thus saving valuable time in responding to alarms, and eliminating the danger at present incurred of injuring horses.

This would involve the expenditures of sixteen hundred dollars. Two of the four fire alarm circuits at present cover such an area that they should be divided, thus reducing the area left without protection by an open circuit fifty per cent.

This would necessitate the purchase of a new repeater which would cost thirteen hundred dollars.

The addition of two more fire alarm boxes would give the city ample protection in that line for some time to come.

A modern ladder truck should be purchased in the near future. A first class truck could be purchased for one thousand dollars. New heating apparatus should be placed in the Old Fort Engine house.

It will readily be seen that to obtain these improvements the expenditure of between four and five thousand dollars would be necessary, but as it would result in increased efficiency of the department it could be regarded as well expended.

Respectfully submitted,

W. C. Green.

Chief Engineer.

ROLL OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

1898.

Permanent Chief Engineer.

WILLIAM C. GREEN,

Office, Central fire station.

Assistant Engineer.

PRECINCT.

JOHN J. McNULTY, 1st Asst.,

Machinist,

Railroad square.

WILLIAM E. DOW, 2d Asst.,

Painter,

13 Academy St.

JOHN J. McNULTY, Clerk of Board.

WARD 1.

DIAL W. ROLFE,

Manufacturer,

Penacook St., Penacook.

WARD 2.

JOHN E. FRYE,

Farmer,

Penacook St., East Concord.

WARD 3.

GEORGE W. KEMP,

Overseer,

Main St., West Concord.

KEARSARGE STEAM FIRE ENGINE AND HOSE COMPANY No. 2.

OFFICERS.

SYLVESTER T. FORD, Captain.

A. H. BRITTON, Lieutenant & Clerk.

JAMES H. SANDERS, Engineer and Treasurer.

MEMBERS.

<i>Badge Nos.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
11	Sylvester T. Ford,	Moulder,	41 South Main st.
12	A. H. Britton,	Hardware dealer,	12 Thompson st.
13	Charles H. Swain,	Carpenter,	18 Holt st.
15	James H. Sanders,	Carriage painter,	43 Perley st.
16	Frank E. Heath,	Salesman,	38 Perley st.
18	Charles H. Burgum,	Carpenter,	5 Laurel st.
84	Thomas J. Morrison,	Carriage painter,	32 Downing st.
19	Charles Powell,	Teamster,	62 Rumford st.
20	Elba F. Horne,	Carpenter,	10 Liberty st.
22	George B. Davis,	Carriage painter,	28 North Main st.
21	J. E. Morrison,	Janitor,	8 Thorndike st.
85	H. M. Sanders,	Permanent driver,	Central station.
14	O. H. Thomas,	Gas fitter,	112 Pleasant st.
87	F. J. Young,	Permanent driver,	Central station.

EAGLE STEAM FIRE ENGINE AND HOSE CO. No. 2.**OFFICERS.****W. J. COFFIN, Captain.****J. C. MCGILVRAY, Lieut. and Clerk.****MEMBERS.**

<i>Badge Nos.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
24	Walter J. Coffin,	Shipping clerk,	5 Short st.
25	John C. McGilvary,	Jig-sawyer,	9 Pearl st.
35	L. W. Tozier,	Barber,	47 Thorndike st.
30	Thomas D. Gannon,	Machinist,	16½ Downing st.
28	Charles H. Sanders,	Machinist,	112 Pleasant st.
31	Orrin C. Hodgdon,	Engineer,	31 Beacon st.
36	David J. Adams,	Janitor,	107 North Main st.
32	William W. Brown,	Photographer,	23½ Pine st.
34	William A. S. wall,	Express-man,	90 Warren st.
38	George H. Downing,	Electrician,	12 South st.
27	Oscar G. Pelkey,	Harness-maker,	3 South Main st.
29	John W. Inman,	Carriage painter,	21 Perley st.
29	William J. Bailey,	Permanent driver,	Central station.

GOVERNOR HILL STEAMER, No. 4.**RELIEF ENGINE.**

<i>Badge Nos.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
17	Elmer H. Farrar, Engineer,	Machinist,	78 South State st.
23	Henry O. Powell, Fireman,	Blacksmith,	16 North Spring st.

ALERT HOSE COMPANY, No. 2.**OFFICERS.****FRED W. SCOTT, Captain.****GEORGE L. OSGOOD, Lieut. and Clerk.****GEORGE L. Osgood, Treasurer.****MEMBERS.**

<i>Badge Nos.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
37	Fred W. Scott,	Builder,	43 Lyndon st.
38	George L. Osgood,	Bookkeeper,	45 Green st.
39	James Crowley,	Barber,	115 Warren st.
40	John H. Seavey,	Stonecutter,	Alert Hose House.
41	Charles H. Rowell,	Carpenter,	23 Concord st.
42	L. B. Putney,	Carpenter,	3 Abbott st.
43	C. C. Chesley,	Carpenter,	11 Prince st.
44	C. J. French,	Stone-cutter,	5 Perkins st.
45	Joseph H. Brunelle,	Blacksmith,	34 Washington st.
46	James Jepson,	Carpenter,	26 Beacon st.
48	John H. True,	Permanent driver,	Alert Hose House.

GOOD WILL HOSE COMPANY, No. 3.

OFFICERS.

JOHN C. MILLS, Captain.

HIRAM T. DICKERMAN, Lieut. and Clerk.

CHARLES C. NUTTER, Treasurer.

MEMBERS.

<i>Badge Nos.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
50	John C. Mills,	Blacksmith,	34 Downing st.
51	Hiram T. Dickerman,	Painter,	18 Hall st.
54	George H. Sawyer,	Blacksmith,	45 South Main st.
55	Charles C. Nutter,	Painter,	39 Laurel st.
52	John E. Gove,	Woodworker,	69 North State st.
53	Charles A. Richards,	Woodworker,	45 South State St.
57	Jasper R. Mudgett,	Woodworker,	98 South State st.
60	Frank S. Putnam,	Packer,	101 South State st.
56	H. H. Ash,	Machinist,	29 Pierce st.
61	E. D. Clark,	Springmaker,	47 South State st.
58	D. F. Crowley,	Permanent Driver,	Good Will Hose house.

CHEMICAL ENGINE COMPANY, No. 1.

<i>Badge Nos.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
91	M. S. Wakefield,	Permanent engineer and driver,	Central station.
92	J. A. Mills,	Permanent assistant engineer,	Central station.

CITY OF CONCORD HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY, No. 1.

OFFICERS.

WILL A. KING, Capt.in.

ED. E. LANE, Lieut. and Clerk

MEMBERS.

<i>Badge Nos.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
63	Will A. Kings,	Machinist,	38 Franklin st.
64	Ed. E. Lane,	Carriage builder,	5 Fremont st.
65	Benjamin Oullette,	Carpenter,	10 Jefferson st.
66	Henry V. Tittlemore,	Teamster,	6 Avon st.
67	John A. Sargent,	Carpenter,	6 Fremont st.
68	Daniel B. Dow,	Teamster,	54 Church st.
70	Will F. King,	Builder,	15 Lyndon st.
71	Frank T. Bean,	Carriage builder,	11 Elm st.
72	Lucius D. Caldon,	Carriage builder,	13 West st.
73	George W. Grover,	Carriage builder,	29 Thorndike st.
75	James L. Liberty,	Carpenter,	7 Harvard st.
76	Stephen P. Foster,	Carriage builder,	47 Perley st.
79	John P. Kelley,	Machinist,	11 Pierce st.
80	Sam B. Morgan,	Carriage builer,	10 Avon st.
81	Daniel Crowley,	Coachman,	1 Hill ave.
77	Bion W. Hall,	Carpenter,	78 South st.
82	Edwin H. French,	Carriage builder,	28 Tremont st.
78	Harry T. Shaw,	Clerk,	63 School st.
74	Charles Parker,	Blacksmith,	63 South st.
69	Charles H. Pike,	Carpenter,	26 Elm st.
96	Amos P. Turner,	Permanent Driver,	Central station.

PIONEER STEAM FIRE ENGINE COMPANY, No. 3.

Penacook.

OFFICERS.

JOHN H. ROLFE, Captain,
 EDDIE C. DURGIN, Lieut. and Clerk.
 JOHN B. DODGE, Treasurer.

FERRY ROLFE, Foreman of Hose.
 WALTER H. ROLFE, Engineer.
 LESLIE H. CROWTHER, Steward.

MEMBERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
John H. Rolfe,	Foreman,	Summer st.
Eddie C. Durgin,	Carpenter,	Spring st.
John B. Dodge,	Assistant postmaster,	Merrimack st.
Henry Rolfe,	Carpenter,	Penacook st.
Walter H. Rolfe,	Machinist,	Merrimack st.
George H. Sager,	Machinist,	High st.
William C. Ackerman,	Machinist,	Washington st.
Leslie H. Crowther,	Maker plumbers' supplies,	Summer st.
John W. McNeill,	Electrical inst. maker,	Union st.
David S. Marsh,	Door maker,	Center st.
Fred H. Morrill,	Sash maker,	High st.
Edwin B. Prescott,	Marketman,	Main st.
George H. Tucker,	Axle maker,	Main st.
Peter A. Keenan,	Table maker,	High st.
Laurin W. Rolfe,	Carpenter,	Summer st.
Fred C. Ferrin,	Band sawyer,	High st.
Lester W. Prescott,	Saw maker,	Summer st.
Harper S. Allen,	Maker plumbers' supplies,	Merrimack st.
Fred M. Dodge,	Electrical inst. maker,	Merrimack st.
Harry G. Rolfe,	Bookkeeper,	Cross st.
Clarence A. Davis,	Miller,	Charles st.
Ruel G. Morrill,	Farmer,	Washington st.
Daniel Smith,	Farmer,	Summer st.
William Taylor,	Carpenter,	Main st.
George N. Robertson,	Axle maker,	Washington st.
Frank P. Robertson,	Axle maker,	Union st.
Albert S. Andrews,	Axle maker,	Charles st.
Samuel G. Sanborn,	Blacksmith,	Union st.

OLD FORT ENGINE COMPANY, No. 2.

East Concord.

OFFICERS.

FLBRIDGE EMERY, Foreman.

JOHN C. HUTCHINS, Treasurer.

GEORGE O. ROBINSON, Asst. Foreman and Clerk, CHARLES P. WHITE, Steward.

MEMBERS.

Elbridge Emery,
 George O. Robinson,
 John C. Hutchins,
 C. E. Robinson,
 Daniel B. Sanborn,
 William L. Bachelder,
 William H. Smith,
 James L. Potter,
 Samuel G. Potter,
 Charles P. White,
 William E. Virgin,
 A. P. Swain,
 Rufus C. Boynton,
 Daniel Pettingill,
 John Spaulding,
 Elvin Culver,
 Fred S. Farnum.
 Shad Cate,
 Ross W. Cate,
 George E. Cate,
 Jefferson Durgin,
 Louis E. Radford,
 William E. Cowley,
 Bert Knowles,
 James Smith,
 James Cox,
 Daniel Lewis,
 Abram Cushing,
 Allie Spaulding,
 Robert Bell,

Butcher,
 Water dealer,
 Engineer,
 Clerk,
 Farmer,
 Farmer,
 Farmer,
 Milk dealer,
 Milk dealer,
 Stone cutter,
 Carpenter,
 Moulder,
 Belt maker,
 Farmer,
 Moulder,
 Shoe maker,
 Carpenter,
 Farmer,
 Horseshoer,
 Blacksmith,
 Milk dealer,
 Painter,
 Storekeeper,
 Carpenter,
 Carpenter,
 Section foreman,
 Driver,
 Stone cutter,
 Carpenter,
 Stone cutter,

Potter st.
 Penacook st.
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 Shaker st.
 Potter st.
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 Shawmut st.
 Penacook st.
 East Clinton st.
 Pembroke st.

CATARACT ENGINE COMPANY, No. 2.

West Concord.

OFFICERS.

JEREMIAH COTTER, Captain.

HIRAM E. QUIMBY, Lieut. and Clerk.

ANDREW J. ABBOTT, Treasurer.

PATRICK CONWAY, Steward.

PATRICK RYAN, Foreman of Hose.

MEMBERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
Jeremiah Cotter,	Blacksmith,	Main st.
Hiram E. Quimby,	Stone cutter,	Main st.
Andrew J. Abbott,	Farmer,	Main st.
Patrick Conway,	Engineer,	Main st.
Patrick Ryan,	Stone cutter,	Hutchins st.
Abial C. Abbott,	Street railway,	Main st.
Thomas P. Hearn,	Engineer,	Main st.
Nathan C. Martin,	Mill overseer,	Main st.
James Welsh,	Salesman,	Main st.
Fred W. Peabody,	Motorman,	Main st.
John Caldbeck,	Expressman,	Main st.
James W. Powers,	Stone cutter,	Main st.
William D. Harrington,	Blacksmith,	Hutchins st.
Lemuel O. Peabody,	Stone cutter,	Main st.
Lawrence Hearn,	Mill operative,	Main st.
Frank C. Blodgett,	Stone cutter,	Main st.
Therodore Wilmot,	Mill overseer,	Main st.
Edward Loverin,	Stone cutter,	Main st.
James F. Abbott,	Stone cutter,	Main st.
John P. Harrington,	Quarryman,	Hutchins st.

VETERANS' AUXILIARY COMPANY.

OFFICERS.

D. B. NEWHALL, Captain.

W. E. DOW, 1st Lieut.

FRED LEIGHTON, 2d Lieut.

FRED LEIGHTON, Clerk.

MEMBERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Names.</i>
D. B. Newhall,	Oliver Thompson,
W. E. Dow,	John Ahern,
J. J. McNulty,	Frank E. Warren,
Fred Leighton,	James G. Leighton,
John M. Hill,	Sydney S. Upham.
Henry M. Gibney,	Lewis C. Carter
Ira C. Evans,	George A. Mitchell,
James A. Ward,	William F. Carr,
William Badger.	Will C. Wingate,
J. Ed. Morrison,	Fred U. Lane,
Benjamin Bilsborough	Charles E. Palmer,
William M. Lever,	Charles H. Smith
David J. Rolfe,	Frank H. Silver.
Henry Tucker,	George A. Ordway,
Charles C. Hill,	Thomas P. Sanborn,
Charles C. Moore.	

TABLES OF VITAL STATISTICS.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Births Registered in the City of Concord, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1898.

JANUARY.

Date—1898	Name of the child (if any.)	Sex and condition.			Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of par- ents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
		Male	Female	Living or still- born.	No. of child, 1st, 2d, etc.						
1	Lizzie		Female.	Living	1st	Terence Bresnahan.	W.	Concord.	Iron moulder.	Ireland	Ireland.
3	John	Male	"	"	3d	Ernest M. Gerry	"	"	Blacksmith.	Stodd rd	Concord.
3		"	"	"	4th	John Breslin	"	"	Stone-cutter.	Ireland	Ireland.
4		"	"	"	1st	Frank Lasoud	"	Penacook.	Blacksmith.	Lowiston, Me.	Canada.
8		"	"	"	1st	Peter Baillogrou.	"	Concord.	Stone mason.	Canada.	"
10	Carl Bernhard	"	"	"	1st	Gust Ericson	"	"	Quarryman.	Sweden	Sweden.
10	Charles Andrew	"	"	"	1st	William W. Gordon.	"	"	Gardener.	Sweden	Groton, Vt.
11	Fannie Julia	"	"	"	1st	John L. F. Lull	"	"	Confectioner.	Concord	Ireland.
11	Dorris Moulton	"	"	"	1st	John H. Worthen	"	"	Dentist.	Holderness.	Plymouth.
13		"	"	"	4th	Edwin E. Jones	"	"	Stone-cutter.	Sweden	Sweden.
16	Ralph Northup	"	"	"	1st	Joseph E. Smith	"	W. Concord.	Physician.	Louden	Killingly, Conn.
16		"	"	"	3d	Frederick Wilson	"	Concord.	Book-binder.	Salem, Mass.	West Concord.
18		"	"	"	"	Henry A. Rushlow	"	"	Silversmith.	Concord.	"
18	Frank	"	"	"	5th	Charles Smith	"	"	Laborer.	Finland	Galicia, Austria.
18	Daniel	"	"	"	4th	David Fitzroy	"	"	R. R. employee.	Ireland	Ireland.
19	Mary Louise.	"	"	"	"	Edmund Cassidy	"	"	Stone-cutter.	Pembroke, N. B.	Hillsboro, N. B.
20	Hattie Louise.	"	"	"	4th	Shepard M. Shaw	"	"	Carpenter.	Canada.	Loudon.
20	Joseph Arthur	"	"	"	2d	Eddie W. M. Dutton	"	Concord.	Nurse.	"	Canada.
20		"	"	"	3d	Fuslie Belisle	"	"	Harness maker.	"	"
20		"	"	"	4th	Remi Belair	"	"	Painter.	Northfield.	"
21	Laurie Grace	"	"	"	5th	Jamies A. Jennicus.	"	Penacook.	Laborer.	"	Claremont.

21	Mary Jane.....	"	"	George H. Wilcox.....	"	"	"	Harriet R. Coburn.....	"	"	Concord.....	Telegrapher.....	"	"	Vermont.....
22	Ruth Hungerford.....	"	"	Joseph Wright.....	"	"	"	Alphonse Blanchette.....	"	"	W. Concord.....	Carpenter.....	"	"	Canada.....
23	Laura Francis.....	"	"	George C. Robinson.....	"	"	"	Lilla A. Noble.....	"	"	N. Pembroke.....	Laborer.....	"	"	Haverhill, Mass.....
24	Eva Maude.....	"	"	Edward B. Chandler.....	"	"	"	Ida F. Rowe.....	"	"	W. Concord.....	Loco engineer.....	"	"	Milton Mass.....
25	"	"	"	Michael J. O'Connell.....	"	"	"	Flora A. Saunders.....	"	"	Concord.....	Machineist.....	"	"	P. E. Island.....
26	"	"	"	Harlan A. Arlin.....	"	"	"	Blanche Bean.....	"	"	"	Grocer.....	"	"	Waltham, Mass.....
27	"	"	"	William S. Holland.....	"	"	"	Carric M. Grace.....	"	"	Penacook.....	Farmer.....	"	"	Wilmot.....
28	John Farnum.....	"	"	William A. Cowley.....	"	"	"	Mary E. Farnum.....	"	"	E. Concord.....	Grocer.....	"	"	West Concord.....
29	"	"	"	Ferdinand Plamondon.....	"	"	"	Georgiana Larue.....	"	"	Concord.....	Baker.....	"	"	Canada.....
30	Marion Esther.....	"	"	Malcolm McDonald.....	"	"	"	Adelaide Beuregard.....	"	"	Pittsfield Rd.....	Tenasser.....	"	"	Nova Scotia.....
31	"	"	"	Alonso Potter.....	"	"	"	Mary E. Johns.....	"	"	Concord.....	Stone-cutter.....	"	"	Isle of Jersey.....
32	Lendall Evans.....	"	"	Daniel W. Webster.....	"	"	"	Mary Garside.....	"	"	Pembroke Rd.....	Laborer.....	"	"	Portsmouth.....
33	Gouldie May.....	"	"	Alfred Couture.....	"	"	"	Alphonse Cote.....	"	"	Concord.....	"	"	"	Canada.....
34	"	"	"	Everett L. Davis.....	"	"	"	Nellie M. Wales.....	"	"	Penacook.....	Coal & wood dealer.....	"	"	Lebanon.....
35	George L.....	"	"	William O'Keefe.....	"	"	"	Elizabeth Looney.....	"	"	Antrim, N. H.....	Cloth fuller.....	"	"	Ireland.....
36	"	"	"	Edward H. Shannon.....	"	"	"	Maude A. Call.....	"	"	Concord.....	Wheelwright.....	"	"	Ashland.....
37	"	"	"	Charles G. Becker.....	"	"	"	Maude L. Ingalls.....	"	"	Concord.....	Silversmith.....	"	"	Concord rd.....
38	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Catherine Blane.....	"	"	"	"	"	"	New York.....

FEBRUARY.

1	Rosa Geuseppine.....	Male	Living	W.	W.	W.	W.	W.	W.	W.	Concord.....	Stone-cutter.....	Italy.....	Italy.....
2	Oscar Wilhelm.....	Male	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	W. Concord.....	Quarryman.....	Sweden.....	Sweden.....
3	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Concord.....	Granite-cutter.....	Sweden.....	Sweden.....
4	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Concord.....	Moulder.....	Concord.....	Concord.....
5	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Carpenter.....	Canada.....	Canada.....
6	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Laborer.....	"	"
7	Harold William.....	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	City f. reman.....	Dunbarton.....	Lowell.....
8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Mason.....	Concord.....	Jefferson.....
9	Mary Letitia.....	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	E. Concord.....	Stone-cutter.....	Halifax, N. S.....	England.....
10	Charles.....	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Concord.....	Hotel keeper.....	Warren.....	Lorne, P. Q.....
11	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Penacook.....	Granite-cutter.....	Ireland.....	Ireland.....
12	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Laborer.....	Concord.....	Irons, N. Y.....
13	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Concord.....	Mill operative.....	Canada.....	Hooksett.....
14	Elsie Frances.....	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Concord.....	R. R. fireman.....	Whitefield.....	Hooksett.....
15	Albert.....	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Concord.....	Carpenter.....	Manchester.....	Tilton.....
16	George Chandler.....	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Concord.....	Tenasser.....	Concord.....	Baltimore.....
17	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	W. Concord.....	Lawyer.....	Bristol.....	Finland.....
18	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Concord.....	Quarryman.....	Sweden.....	Canada.....
19	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Carpenter.....	Canada.....	"
20	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Laborer.....	"	"

BIRTHS.-FEBRUARY.-Continued.

Date-1898.	Name of the child (if any.)	Sex and condition.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of par- ents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
		Male	Female							
16	Agnes Main.....	.....	Female.	W. Rodney W. Cheney.....	Alma M. Abbott.....	W	East'n Mass	Book-keeper.....	Ashland.....	London.
18	Frank Paul.....	.....	Male	Audrone Lindtstrom.....	Selma Anderson.....	"	Concord.	Granite-cutter.....	Sweden.....	Sweden.
20	Ruth Elizabeth.....	.....	"	Michael F. Haynes.....	Sellie T. Murphy.....	"	"	Moulder.....	Concord.....	Concord.
21	Marlan Ruth.....	.....	"	Auguste Truchon.....	Delima Ouellette.....	"	Penacook.	Shoemaker.....	Canada.....	Canada.
22	.....	.....	"	Mos G Carpenter.....	Coria A. Terry.....	"	Concord.	Cabinet-maker.....	Andover.....	Redford, N. Y.
23	.....	.....	"	P. A. Benoit.....	Marie Guay.....	"	Concord.	Shoemaker.....	Canada.....	Canada.
24	.....	.....	"	John McCauley.....	Catharine G. Cleary.....	"	"	Croft.....	Denmark.....	Concord.
26	.....	.....	"	Geo. C. Hanson.....	Anna Johnson.....	"	"	Harness-maker.....	Canada.....	Sweden.
27	Francis Ellen.....	.....	"	Ell Chappelsine.....	Anna Gervais.....	"	"	Labourer.....	Canada.....	Canada.
27	.....	.....	"	James J. O'Regan.....	Elizabeth Byrne.....	"	"	"	"	"
28	.....	.....	"	Phileas Blanchette.....	Mary Aldrich.....	"	Pembroke	Shoemaker.....	"	New Hampshire.

MARCE.

3	Lillian Agnes.....	.....	Female.	W. Frank A. Maxwell.....	Katy McCafferty.....	W	Concord	Carpenter.....	Ellsworth, Me.....	Melrose, Mass.
3	Barbara Marseilles.....	Male	"	Henry Robinson.....	Helen Rollins.....	"	"	Lawyer.....	Concord.....	Concord.
3	.....	"	"	Fred N. Hartz.....	Winnifred E. Crowley.....	"	Long Pond	Teamster.....	P. E. Island.....	"
4	.....	"	"	George N. Brooks.....	Myrtle M. Hanson.....	"	Penacook	Mill operative.....	Canada.....	B. scawen.
4	.....	"	"	Phillip King.....	Caesere Patoline.....	"	Concord	Plumber.....	"	Canada.
6	Esther May.....	.....	"	Odilon Brochu.....	Adlie Allaire.....	"	Penacook	Carpenter.....	"	"
6	Edna S. B.....	.....	"	Allen K. Hood.....	Elia M. Allen.....	"	Concord	Plumber.....	Brookline.....	Concord.
7	.....	.....	"	William L. Chandler.....	Edith L. Mills.....	"	Concord	R. R. Fireman.....	Chichester.....	Concord.
7	Margaret Alice.....	.....	"	Frank S. Seneff.....	Annle Welch.....	"	"	Coachman.....	Concord.....	Manchester.
8	.....	.....	"	George E. Newton.....	Mary A. McNamara.....	"	" [Plains	Freight Conductor.....	Saxon's Riv'r, Vt.....	Hartford, Vt.
9	Edith Mae.....	.....	"	Frank D. Holmes.....	Clara E. Sharples.....	"	E. t oncord	Mason.....	St. Albans, Vt.....	Concord.
10	.....	.....	"	Michael Sullivan.....	Mary J. Gliddon.....	"	Concord	Com'l Traveller.....	Salisbury.....	Ossipee.
11	.....	.....	"	Edwin A. Colby.....	Lida.....	"	"	Printer.....	"	Canada.
	.....	.....	"	.....	Augla Dubia.....	"	Penacook	Weaver.....	Sunapee.....	Gilsum.

13	Lloyd Harold.....	"	"	1st	W. Charles H. Berry	Cora M. Morgan.....	W. Concord.....	Plumber	Maine.....	Bow
14	..... (Alme	"	"	2d	George Evans.....	Emma Grant.....	"	Stone-cutter	England.	England.
15	Clement Louise.....	"	"	3d	James P. Conover.....	Delina Hime.....	"	Master St. Paul's	Canada.	Canada.
16	Richard Stevens.....	"	"	3d	Robert F. Keane.....	Mary B. Calt.....	Hopkinton	Tailor..... (School	New York City	Scotland.
20	Marion Cecilia.....	"	"	3d	Carl J. Nelson.....	Hannah Linquist.....	Concord.....	Blacksmith	Sweden.	Concord.
22	.....	"	"	1st	James C. Smith.....	Katharine M. Doherty.....	W. Concord	R. K. fireman.	P. E. Island	Ireland.
23	Elmer James.....	"	"	1st	John V. Speed.....	Margaret Halloran.....	Concord	Laborer	West Concord	Penacook.
24	.....	"	"	2d	Ludger Audet.....	Marie.....	Concord	Laborer	Canada.	Canada.
25	.....	"	"	3d	Georges Cluse.....	Aurelia Michell.....	"	"	England.	"
26	.....	"	"	4th	Wm. A. R. Woodworth.....	Hattie A. Whitcomb.....	"	Teamster	Nova Scotia	Newport.
27	Elsie Ida.....	"	"	1st	HARRY M. Cates.....	Malvina M. Lacey.....	Penacook	Table finisher	Audison, Me.	orthfield, Vt.
28	.....	"	"	1st	Francis Truobon.....	Marie Roy.....	Concord	Laborer	Canada	Canada.
29	.....	"	"	4th	Charles P. Benson.....	Ida E. Johnson.....	"	Painter	Sweden	Sweden.
30	.....	"	"	1st	Albert Landel.....	Alida St. Cyr.....	"	Clerk	Vermont	Canada.
30	.....	"	"	3d	.....	.....	"	.....	.....	.....

S. B.
Living

APRIL.

1	.....	Female.	Living	4th	W. William D. Milton.....	Gennie W. Bernice.....	W. Concord	Baker	Scotland	Scotland
1	Clarence Harlan.....	Male	"	5th	Clarence S. Gale.....	Lillian M. Morrill.....	"	Grocer	Canterbury	Canterbury.
1	.....	"	"	10th	Nagaire J. Linn.....	Pauline Godet.....	"	Laborer	Canada.	Canada.
3	Paul Leonard.....	"	"	1st	Ames L. Curtis.....	Maudie D. Brown.....	"	Painter	Concord	"
3	.....	"	"	7th	Joseph Beaussolid.....	Aurelia Provancher.....	"	Carpenter	Canada.	"
3	.....	"	"	3d	Abel Malouson.....	Mary L. Babine.....	"	Tailor	"	"
3	Gladys Mabel.....	"	"	1st	Elphazet T. Smith.....	Emma A. Vadney.....	"	Brakeman	Concord	Claremont.
4	Arthur Bland.....	"	"	11th	Michael H. Donovon.....	Elizabeth J. Bland.....	"	Machinist.	Sutton	Ireland.
4	Mildred Agnes.....	"	"	1st	Arthur F. Cheney.....	Edith M. Cass.....	"	Silversmith.	Concord	Clchester.
4	.....	"	"	13th	Charles E. Harrington.....	Lilla M. Proctor.....	"	Marble-cutter	Keene	Keene.
4	Ellen Clare.....	"	"	4th	Corneilus Doherty.....	Ellen J.....	"	Lo Engineer	Concord	Canada.
6	Carrie.....	"	"	2d	Gillian H. Baker.....	Mary Matthews.....	Millville	Electrician	England N. H.	England.
9	.....	"	"	1st	Gustaf Anderson.....	Harrah Parsons.....	W. Concord	Curryman	Sweden	Sweden.
9	.....	"	"	1st	Arelkie J. McLean.....	Mary A. Valliere.....	Concord	Coachman	Nova Scotia	Canada.
4	Alfred Edward.....	"	"	1st	George A. Cochran.....	Zayz Rivers.....	"	Laborer	Concord	"
5	.....	"	"	3d	Louis Flechette.....	Lillian Russell.....	"	Painter	Canada	"
7	Leota Frances.....	"	"	5th	Willie C. Wilmot.....	Lillian Russell.....	E. Concord	Teamster	Dwight, Ill	Lincoln, Me.
7	.....	"	"	2d	Aaron Turner.....	Nellie M. Abbott.....	Concord	R. R. fireman.	Posit, Mass	London
1	.....	"	"	1st	Charles O. Crosby.....	Grace E. Burnham.....	"	Stone-cutter	Leviston.	Keenon
1	.....	"	"	3d	Richard Carlson.....	Ida Olivia.....	"	Tailor	Sweden.	Sweden.
2	.....	"	"	13th	Ferdinand J. Valliere.....	Amanda Lafamme.....	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada.
3	.....	"	"	3d	Edward Ryan.....	Bridget A. Brady.....	"	Laborer	Ireland.	Ireland.

BIRTHS.-APRIL.-Continued.

Date—1896.	Sex and condition.				Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
	Living or still-born.		No. of child, 1st, 2d, etc.	Color.						
	Male	Female								
27	Eleanor.....	Female..	Living	4th	W.	Patrick F. Greeley...	Mary Lane.....	Concord.....	Ireland.....	Ireland.
27	.....	"	"	3d	"	Joseph A. Benoit...	Agnes Provost.....	"	Massachusetts.....	Massachusetts.
28	Herve Edilbert.....	Male	"	1st	"	Osias Trimble.....	Eva De-Montigny.....	"	Canada.....	Canada.
30	Mary Adelaide.....	"	"	1st	"	Charles H. Danforth.	Sadie F.———	"	Hopkinton.....	Lowell, Mass.
30	Mary Elizabeth.....	"	"	1st	"	John H. Morrison...	Annie Nichols.....	"	Ireland.....	Ireland.
30	Cora Estelle.....	"	"	3d	"	Henry Hayward.....	Ilena A. Haselelton	"	Canterbury.....	Manchester.

MAY.

1 Horton Lloyd.....	Male	Living	3d	W.	Concord.....	Concord.....	Whitona, Minn.
2 Chester Linwood.....	"	"	1st	"	"	Barber.....	Canada.
3 Chester Linwood.....	"	"	1st	"	"	Clerk.....	Concord.
5 Benj. M. Allen.....	"	"	2d	"	"	Book-keeper.....	"
5 Denis Calabana.....	"	"	2d	E	Concord.....	Concord.....	No. Pomfret Vt.
5 Chase H. Bresnahan.....	"	"	4th	"	Concord.....	England.....	Ireland.
5 Wm. J. W. McFarland.....	"	"	1st	"	"	Concord.....	Canada.
7 William A. Drew.....	"	"	8th	"	"	R. R. employee.....	West Concord.
8 Michael N. Ellard.....	"	"	1st	"	"	Teamster.....	Holyoke, Mass.
8 Albert H. C. Knowles.....	"	"	5th	"	"	Paper hanger.....	Concord.
10 Timothy F. Shugrue.....	"	"	3d	"	E. Concord.....	Stone-cutter.....	Ireland.
10 Michael C. Doer.....	"	"	3d	"	Concord.....	Laborer.....	"
12 David Lucier.....	"	"	2d	"	"	Moulder.....	Vermont.
12 Roger Hall.....	"	"	2d	"	"	Laborer.....	New York.
12 Edgar Clemmons.....	"	Living	1st	"	"	Sterotypor.....	Chichester.
12 John H.....	"	"	3d	"	E. Concord.....	Famer.....	Canterbury.
14 Edward.....	"	"	4th	"	Concord.....	Laborer.....	Canada.
15 Fredk. M. Ludatrom.....	"	"	4th	"	"	Minister.....	Sweden.

18	Frank Ernest.....	"	"	2d	Marlin N. Wirell.....	Harriet B. Potter.....	"	"	Silversmith.....	Nova Scotia.....	Concord, England.
19	"	"	"	10th	George N. Ash.....	Mary A. King.....	"	"	Laborer.....	Bristol.....	West Concord.
20	Marie Rachael.....	"	"	2d	William Callahan.....	Mary Alcott.....	"	"	K. R. engineer.....	Yermont.....	France.
21	"	"	"	1st	Henry Provost.....	Radegone Planchet.....	"	"	Machinist.....	Massachusetts.....	Concord, Mich.
22	Louise.....	"	"	3d	Frederic B. Hubbard.....	Nellie S. Goodell.....	"	"	Merchant.....	East Berlin, Conn.	Detroit, Mich.
23	"	"	"	4th	Arthur W. Scott.....	Catharine Dunbar.....	"	"	Carpeteer.....	Concord.....	Canada.
24	"	"	"	10th	Jean Morin.....	Aurelia Roy.....	"	"	Laborer.....	Canada.....	Ireland.
25	Henry Joseph.....	"	"	8th	John J. Kiley.....	Bridget A. Welch.....	"	"	Printer.....	Boston, Mass.....	So. Boston, Mass.
26	"	"	"	2d	William Fagan.....	Mary A. Lee.....	"	"	R. R. employee.....	West Concord.....	Piermont.
27	"	"	"	2d	John E. Clifford.....	Kate Batchelder.....	"	"	Bank clerk.....	Scotland.....	West Plymouth.
28	Richard Woodworth.....	"	"	6th	William Murdoch.....	Mary A. Donovan.....	"	"	St. car conductor.....	Nova Scotia.....	Enna, Me.
29	"	"	"	2d	Leventon N. Freeman.....	Lucy N. Whittemore.....	"	"	Silversmith.....	Concord.....	"
30	Ethel Marguerite.....	"	"	1st	Charles E. Jamieson.....	Lotie Crosby.....	"	"	Machinist.....	Laconia.....	"
31	"	"	"	1st	Harry L. Johnson.....	Ethel ———	"	"	"	"	"
32	"	"	"	1st	"	Mabel A. Haines.....	"	"	"	"	"

JUNE.

1	Mary Ellen.....	Female.	Living.	3d	W. W. Tuckett.....	Eda Maria.....	W.	F. Concord.	Farmer.....	New Hampshire.....	New Hampshire.
2	Vera.....	Male	"	4th	Harry P. Powers.....	Margaret Leaky.....	"	Concord.	Clear manuf'r.....	Columbus, O.....	Concord.
3	"	"	"	3d	Arthur C. McKenney.....	Jessie ———	"	"	Railroad.....	Yermont.....	Yermont.
4	George Ass.....	"	"	1st	Oswell Snodgrass.....	Fannie J. ———	"	"	Physician.....	Canada.....	Canada.
5	Philip Sheridan.....	"	"	2d	Lewis F. Morse.....	Fannie G. Brown.....	"	"	Teamster.....	Canada.....	Canada.
6	"	"	"	2d	Asa P. Chase.....	Annle G. Sully.....	"	"	"	Weymouth.....	Weymouth.
7	Dorothy.....	"	"	1st	Peuley G. Smith.....	Winifred Mason.....	"	"	Machinist.....	Lyndonville, Vt.....	Lyndonville, Vt.
8	Elmer Dewey.....	"	"	1st	Hamilton A. Kencall.....	Mary A. Wyatt.....	"	"	Undertake.....	Lyndonville, Vt.....	Lyndonville, Vt.
9	Margaret Thorne.....	"	"	10th	John W. Bourlet, Jr.....	Catharine McKenzie.....	"	"	Weaver.....	Buxton, Me.....	Buxton, Me.
10	Harry.....	"	"	1st	John F. O'Neill.....	William F. Kulpit.....	"	"	Stone polisher.....	Concord.....	Concord.
11	"	"	"	1st	George W. Brown.....	Emma F. Kulpit.....	"	"	Physician.....	Schuyler's Lake.....	Schuyler's Lake.
12	"	"	"	3d	Frederick L. Hills.....	Jessamine G. ———	"	"	Penacook.....	Yermont.....	Yermont.
13	"	"	"	3d	Simon Fleischman.....	Lillian Locke.....	"	"	Mechanic.....	Concord.....	Concord.
14	"	"	"	1st	Fred E. Roach.....	Apies Knowlton.....	"	"	Printer.....	Ireland.....	Ireland.
15	"	"	"	1st	John Sullivan.....	James H. Welch.....	"	"	Weaver.....	Concord.....	Concord.
16	"	"	"	1st	Walter P. Brown.....	Emma L. Mors.....	"	"	Printer.....	Concord.....	Concord.
17	Emma Elizabeth.....	"	"	3d	James H. Welch.....	Adella I. Trombly.....	"	"	Clerk.....	Windsor, Vt.....	Windsor, Vt.
18	Irene Emeline.....	"	"	1st	Frank E. Fletcher.....	"	"	"	R. R. Fireman.....	Windsor, Vt.....	Windsor, Vt.
19	"	"	"	2d	Hugh McMullen.....	Sarah Callcut.....	"	"	Baker.....	Scotland.....	Scotland.

BIRTHS—JUNE.—Continued.

Date—1886.	Name of child (if any).	Sex and condition.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of par- ents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
		Male	Female.							
13	Esther Elizabeth.		Female.	W. Patrick Jordan.	Mary Gendron.	W.	Concord.	Moulder.	Ireland.	Concord.
13	Abbie Rosamond.		"	Jeremiah Carter.	Gerrude L. Tucker.	"	E. Concord.	Stone-cutter.	Penacook.	"
15	Elinor Marion.	Male	"	Carlton W. Goodsell.	Sadie Allen.	"	Concord.	Merchant.	New York State.	Italy.
16	Mildred Howe.		"	Joseph Nardini.	Sophia Simonetti.	"	Penacook.	Merchant.	Piermont.	Roscowen.
19			"	Ezra B. Rannels.	Mary Howe.	"	Concord.	Laborer.	Quebec.	Canada.
21			"	William King.	Mary L. Goly.	"	Concord.	Moulder.	Manchester.	Manchester.
22	Harriet Ann.		"	William F. Gallagher.	Julia Kellner.	"	Penacook.	Teamster.	Concord.	Concord.
23			"	James Callahan.	Teresa E. Devlin.	"	Concord.	Teamster.	Canada.	New Hampshire.
23	Margaret Ellen.		"	Arthur Laplant.	Elizabeth Mahan.	"	Concord.	Machinist.	Concord.	Maine.
26			"	Thomas D. Gannon.	Esther Hebert.	"	W. Concord.	Laborer.	Canada.	New Hampshire.
27	Edwin Oliver.		"	Charles Labrecque.	Susan E. Gay.	"	Fembroke.	Moulder.	Tynesboro, Mass.	Litchfield.
28			"	Charles Clegg.	Flora M. Heath.	"	Loudon R'd.	Farmer.	Gayville, Vt.	Lowell, Mass.
28			"	Fred J. Johnson.	Kate Moore.	"	Concord.	Steam Fitter.	Maine.	Ireland.
28			"	Sifroid Vienneau.	Christine Cormier.	"	"	Iron Moulder.	Canada.	Canada.

JULY.

Date—1886.	Name of child (if any).	Sex and condition.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of par- ents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
		Male	Female.							
1	Helena A.		Female.	W. Walter Wilmot.	Lenora Greeley.	W.	Concord.	Brakeman.	Lowell, Mass.	Webster.
2	Dorothy Elizabeth.		"	John I. A. Chellis.	Flora M. Sargent.	"	"	Builder.	Orange.	Roscowen.
2	Bernice Jannett.		"	George D. Waldron.	Grace E. Underhill.	"	"	Supt. Freight office.	Concord.	Concord.
3	Maude Ayer.		"	William Penam.	Lydia L. Holt.	"	W. Concord.	Fireman.	Canada.	New York.
3	Joseph Adelard.		"	Fred B. Powell.	Marion E. Ayer.	"	Concord.	Clothier.	Concord.	Claremont.
4			"	Joseph Turgeon.	Lida Gaudreau.	"	"	Laborer.	Canada.	Canada.
5			"	John Casey.	Margaret A. Kenney.	"	"	Quarryman.	Ireland.	Ireland.
6			"		Mary Collins.	"	"			Concord.
7	Kenneth		"	Sidney W. Scott.	Helen A. —.	"	"	Salesman.	Wells River, Vt.	Hartford, Conn.

1	Eadie Ellen	"	9th	Mary Lamore	Penacook	Laborer	New York	New York
2	Leelle Willard	"	1st	A. J. Massey	W. Concord	Blacksmith	Brattleboro, Vt.	Crown Point, N. Y.
3	Leroy Elmer	"	1st	Florence A. Stanleys	Concord	Clerk	Springfield	Croydon
4	Doris Florence	"	2d	Charles A. Davis	"	Carl's manfr.	Concord	Malden, Vt.
5	Bernice Emeline	"	2d	Elmer J. Brown	"	Blacksmith	Tilton	Lawrence, Mass.
6	Clara	"	4th	Walter L. Peabody	"	Stone-cutter	Canada, Vt.	Chester, Vt.
7	Margaret	"	4th	Lizzie S. Moulton	Concord	Teamster	Canada	Concord
8	Henry	"	3d	Adeline Goudreau	"	Postal clerk	Canada	"
9	Alice M.	"	8th	Rebecca Wheelahan	"	Laborer	Vermont	New York
10	Marlette	"	1st	Rose Downing	"	Laborer	Canada	Suncook
11	Arthur Westley	"	5th	Flora Poulton	E. Concord	Foundry man	England	Brattleboro, Vt.
12	Mary Ann Clara	"	2d	Grace Abbott	Concord	Clerk	Ireland	Concord
13	Pauline	"	4th	Alice C. McLure	Penacook	Wol Dresser	England	Brattleboro, Vt.
14	Richard	"	2d	Nellie Glavin	Concord	Brakeness	England	Concord
15	George Ash	"	2d	Elizabeth Walters	E. Concord	Painter	Hebron	Whitefield
16	Pauline	"	8th	Clyde Stalbird	Concord	Grover	Tuftsborough	Canada
17	Richard	"	1st	Annabel K. Prescott	N. Y. City	Laborer	Canada	Concord
18	George Ash	"	1st	Philomene Allaire	Concord	Silversmith	Ireland	Concord
19	George Ash	"	1st	Julia Agnes	"	Moulder	Canada	Concord
20	George Ash	"	6th	Hannah O'Brien	"	Laborer	Ireland	Concord
21	George Ash	"	1st	Anna Clark	"	Blacksmith	Hugalo, N. Y.	Concord
22	George Ash	"	1st	Corrella Landry	"	Blacksmith	New Hampshire	Concord
23	George Ash	"	4th	Maria S. Peterson	"	Blacksmith	Sweden	Sweden
24	George Ash	"	5th	Amy Chase	"	Contractor	Concord	Concord

AUGUST.

25	Female. Living	W.	9th	Mary A. Farley	W. Penacook	Mill overseer	Andover, Mass.	Chelmsford, Mass.
26	S. B. 3d	"	3d	Marie Paton	S. B. F. M. Rd	Laborer	Canada	Canada
27	Living	"	1st	Belle Hawse	Penacook	Carpenter	Hyde Park, Vt.	Morrisville, Vt.
28	S. B. 3d	"	2d	Emma J. Burnham	Concord	Iron Moulder	Pembroke	Epsum
29	Living	"	3d	Rose	"	Farmer	Turkey, Asia	Turkey, Asia
30	Living	"	3d	Hilda Larson	W. Concord	Grain-cutter	Sweden	Sweden
31	"	"	8th	Bridget Cavanaugh	Concord	Painter	Canada	Canada
32	"	"	5th	Mary A. Tonkin	"	Stone-cutter	England	England
33	"	"	6th	Malvina Morin	"	"	Canada	Canada
34	"	"	4th	Saline Broden	London R'd	Laborer	"	New York State
35	"	"	4th	Julia Lemery	Penacook	"	"	Cherubusco, N. Y.
36	"	"	5th	Emma	Concord	Lineman	"	Lyne
37	"	"	3d	Florence Carbee	"	Machinist	Scotland	"
38	1st	"	1st	John H. Craigie	"	"	"	"

BIRTHS.-AUGUST.-Continued.

Date-1898	Sex and condition.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
	Name of the child (if any.)	No. of living child, or still-born, etc.						
23	Catherine.....	2d	W. Julian T. —	Unice P. Bailey.....	Concord.....	Blacksmith.....	Londonderry.....	Concord.
23	Gladys Ella.....	1st	John H. Callahan.....	Mary E. Smith.....	"	Swickman.....	Ireland.....	"
23	Ralph Irving.....	4th	Edward Marcott.....	Kate E. Smith.....	"	Painter.....	Harland, Vt.....	Windsor, Vt
25	"	1st	Irving N. Marden.....	Abbie A. Jones.....	"	Polisher.....	Concord.....	Concord.
25	"	5th	Jonas Morris.....	Ellen Scully.....	"	"	Ireland.....	Ireland.
26	"	1st	Edwin C. Burroughs.....	Mary H. LaTouche.....	"	Blacksmith.....	Canada.....	Canada.
26	"	3d	Fred H. Proctor.....	Lilla H. —.....	"	Shoe dealer.....	Concord.....	Concord.
27	J. seph Noel Albert.....	2d	John Godbout.....	Mary Blaine.....	"	Laborer.....	Montt Holly, Vt.....	Concord.
28	"	2d	Eugene Fenton.....	Mary Holden.....	Penacook.....	"	Andover.....	Canada.
29	"	2d	Charles Weeden.....	Carrie Sharples.....	London, R'd.....	Railroad.....	For's Fork, N. Y.....	Ireland.
30	"	1st	Christian Johnson.....	Sarah L. —.....	Concord.....	Cook.....	Denmark.....	Concord.
30	"	2d	Conway M. Foote.....	Rebecca —.....	"	Baggage master.....	Concord.....	Sweden.

SEPTEMBER.

Date-1898	Sex and condition.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
	Name of the child (if any.)	No. of living child, or still-born, etc.						
1	Fred Edward.....	3d	W. George F. Ordway.....	Larna E. Brown.....	W. Mast Yard.....	Section-hand.....	Wetster.....	Peacham Vt.
2	Jeremiah.....	1st	Fred A. Cochran.....	Josephine Hayes.....	Pembroke.....	Laborer.....	Vermont.....	Hoksett.
2	"	1st	Jeremiah Cotter.....	Nora T. Hearn.....	W. Concord.....	Blacksmith.....	Ireland.....	Worcester, N. s.
3	"	14th	Thomas Roy.....	Sarah Ladame.....	Mtville.....	Laborer.....	Canada.....	Canada.
3	"	"	George French.....	Mary A. Hutchins.....	Concord.....	Car builder.....	S. Royalton, Vt.....	Ireland.
4	Mary Ellen.....	"	M. J. Sullivan.....	Fanny Gahne.....	"	Druggist.....	Concord.....	Lebanon.
4	Ruth Ina.....	1st	Charles H. Davis.....	Ira A. —.....	"	Railroad.....	Northfield, Vt.....	Brookfield, Vt.
5	"	2d	Nelson W. McMurphy.....	Carrie F. Allen.....	"	Physician.....	Gilmanston.....	Irassburg, Vt.
6	"	3d	Tellahor Marquis.....	Idler Bolqvist.....	"	Brick mason.....	Canada.....	"
7	Em'et.....	3d	Charles Thorp.....	Ellen Swenson.....	"	Greener.....	Sweden.....	Sweden.
7	"	1st	Gustav A. Trolay.....	Annet Anderson.....	"	Stone-cutter.....	"	"
7	"	6th	Adelard Larochele.....	Ether Roberge.....	"	"	Canada.....	Canada.
10	"	7th	Edward F. Converse.....	Nettie Hussey.....	W. Concord.....	Street railway.....	Woburn, Mass.....	Goshen.

1	Charles Howard	"	"	3d	Charles A. Yeaton	Sarah J. Mobbs	W. Concord	Teamster	Halifax, N. S.	Nova Scotia.
2	Irene Bernice	"	"	4th	Patrick Albern	Sarah Fahy	"	Foreman R. R.	Ireland	Lebanon.
3	"	"	"	3d	D. Waldo White	Eva M. Colby	W. Concord	Electrician	Concord	How
4	"	"	"	1st	Adolph Hammer	Selma Row	"	Boiler-maker	Sweden	Finland.
5	Joseph Cyriac	"	"	6th	Michael F. Boland	Mary M. Sullivan	"	Laborer	Ireland	Canada.
6	Gerald	"	"	5th	William Bolsvert	Ellinor Ally	"	Farmer	Peacock	Concord.
7	William	"	"	2d	Arthur H. Knowlton	Maudie Spiller	E. Concord	Bruggist	Ireland	Canada.
8	Jos Pierre Alphonse	"	"	1st	Thomas Anich	Annie Byrne	Concord	Railroad	Canada	Peacock
9	"	"	"	1st	William M. Hadley	Emma Rouillard	"	Laborer	Concord	Peacock
10	"	"	"	2d	Edward M. White	Matie B. Sweetney	"	Fireman	Concord	Peacock
11	"	"	"	1st	Everett M. Hadley	Mary A. Gonzalez	S. Paul's Sch.	Fruit dealer	Concord	Italy
12	Ermando	"	"	3d	Louis Mazzolini	Onofilia Ricci	"	Undraker	Concord	Bradford, N. H.
13	Joseph Hilliard	"	"	1st	Louis A. Lane	Harriet Lavoek	"	"	"	"

OCTOBER.

2	Edna Sophia	Female	Living	3d	W. C. Aus in Hurd	Carrie A. Davis	W. Concord	Clerk	Gilmanton	Yonkers, N. Y.
3	Annie	"	"	2d	Clarence H. Ramsey	Esther L. Pilber	"	Carpenter	New York	Columbia.
4	"	"	"	1st	A. T. Carroll	Kate — Stevenson	"	Barber	New York city	Ireland.
5	"	"	"	2d	John L. Pariz	Lacy A. —	"	Granite-cutter	P. E. Island	P. E. Island.
6	"	"	"	1st	Louis Cozz	William H. Sweet	"	Stone-cutter	Italy	Italy
7	Martha Elizabeth	"	"	2d	George A. Woodward	Edna W. Sweet	"	Brickman	Franklin	Andover, Conn.
8	Morrill Page	"	"	2d	Arthur H. Stevens	Mary Ogier	"	Clerk	Farmington	Salisbury.
9	"	"	"	4th	James O. Cole	Emma Morrill	"	"	Lynn, Mass.	"
10	Marie Blanche	"	"	1st	George L. Prentiss	Lillie May Gawler	"	Teamster	Allenstown	Concord.
11	"	"	"	1st	Abraham Courchesne	Any Isabella —	Concord	Stone-cutter	Peacock	Canada.
12	"	"	"	6th	Alfred Johnson	Edna H. —	E. Concord	Granite-cutter	Sweden	Sweden.
13	"	"	"	10th	Thomas F. Symonds	Ellen A. Hughes	W. Concord	Barber	Hopkinton	Hopkinton.
14	"	"	"	1st	Leo Bertrand	Eugenia Den eros	Concord	Stone-cutter	Canada	Canada.
15	"	"	"	7th	Pridone Tonsignant	Emma Bedard	"	Laborer	"	"
16	"	"	"	3d	Charles Remond	Sarah Facone	"	Quarryman	"	"
17	Daniel	"	"	1st	Joseph T. Byrne	Marguerite Gibeault	E. Concord	Section hand	Quebec	Concord.
18	"	"	"	4th	Frank Beaulieu	Alfred Casy	Concord	Blacksmith	Canada	Canada.
19	"	"	"	6th	Edmund Desjardins	Kate F. —	"	Laborer	Concord	Hooksett.
20	"	"	"	2d	Clarence F. Philpphen	Lillian M. Wymann	"	Teamster	New Boston, N. H.	Manchester.
21	"	"	"	9th	Antonio Russell	Mathilda Bartholdi	"	Stonemason	Italy	Italy.
22	"	"	"	4th	Alfred Murkey	Odette Bissonnetti	"	Stone-cutter	Canada	Canada.
23	"	"	"	4th	Frank Markey	Mary Patoinne	"	Laborer	"	"
24	"	"	"	4th	Frank Fanny	Emma Rugio	"	Stone-cutter	Italy	Italy.

BIRTHS—OCTOBER.—Continued.

Date—1898.	Sex and condition.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of parents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
	Male	Female							
18			Joseph Landry	Lea Murray	W.	Concord...	Machinist	Canada	Canada.
22			Antonio Rossi	Mathilde Bartholdi	"	"	Stone-cutter	Italy	Italy
23			Almah C. Leavitt	Hattie P. Richardson	"	"	Painter	Concord	Concord.
24			John Sweeney	Mary Casey	"	E. Concord.	Mason	Ireland	Ireland.
24			James Mobbs	Reziah J. Heartz	"	"	Laborer	P. E. Island	P. E. Island
24			Joseph Robitaille	Exilda Baillargeon	"	"	"	Canada	Canada.
24			Joseph Boucufant	Julia Lander	"	"	"	"	Vermont.
24			John Fanning	Elizabeth J. Cleary	"	"	Stone-cutter	Ireland	Concord.
25			Warren R. Foote	Lizzie M. French	"	"	Tramman	Manchester	Sweden.
26			John A. Olson	Emma Johnson	"	W. Concord.	Machinist	Sweden	Sweden.
30			E. Audet	Anastasia Roy	"	Concord.	Laborer	Canada	Canada.

NOVEMBER.

Date—1898.	Sex and condition.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of parents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
	Male	Female							
1			Alexandre Audet	Amanda Arcand	W.	Concord	Laborer	Canada	Canada.
2			John J. Maloney	Catherine Elliott	"	"	R. R. employee	Ireland	Ireland.
3			Prosper Blanchette	Janie Rubineau	"	"	Shoemaker	Canada	New Brunswick.
6			Harvey G. Fletcher	Mabel G. Fisher	"	"	Merchant	Vershire, Vt.	Manchester.
6		Female.	Sherrin Ward Barker	Jeanette Louise	"	"	"	New Haven, Conn.	New Haven, Conn.
7			Patrick Whalen	Ellen Murphy	"	"	Quarryman	Ireland	Ireland.
8			Samuel G. Nute	Mary Hopkins	"	"	Fireman	Punbarton	Goffstown, N. H.
8			Pietro Roy	Virginia Paulina	"	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada.
11			Irving A. Bow	Grace M.	"	"	R. R. employee	Lancaster, N. H.	Clatsaugay, N. Y.
11			John F. Stober	Annie A. Beggs	"	"	Cigar-maker	Syracuse	Concord.
11			Ernest Dubois	Adelle Roy	"	"	Stone-cutter	Concord	Concord.
13			Joseph N. Abbott	Martha Olive Chase	"	Dimond Hill	Farmer	Concord	Hopkinton.
13			John M. Flanders	Elizabeth Carter	"	E. Concord.	Laborer	Warner, N. H.	Concord.
15			Albert S. Ordway	Bertha M. Story	"	Concord.	Gardener	Henniker, N. H.	Hopkinton, N. H.
19									

BIRTHS.-DECEMBER.-Continued.

Date-1898.	Name of the child (if any.)	Sex and condition.			Name of father.	Maternal name of mother.	Color of parents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
		Male	Female	No. of Living child, 1st, 2d, born, etc.							
29	.....	.....	Female.	5th	W. Thomas Donnelly	Ellen E. Tremble	W. Penacook	Loom fixer	.....	Lawrence, Mass.	Ireland
31	.....	.....	"	1st	Frank H. Rivers	Minnie E. get	"	Concord	.....	Boston, Mass.	P. Rhode phia.
31	Jennie	Male	"	11th	Geo. Tonkin	Nannie Prowse	"	"	.....	England	England

MARRIAGES.

BIRTHS.-DECEMBER.-(Continued.)

Name of the child (if any.)	Sex and condition.			Name of father.	Maternal name of mother.	Color of par- ents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
	Male	Female	Living or still born. etc.							
20				W. Thomas Donahy	Ellen E. Tremble	W. Penacook	Penacook	Loom fixer	Lawrence, Mass.	Ireland
31			1st	" Frank H. Rivers	Minnie E. get	"	Concord	Com'l Traveller	Boston, Mass.	P. Illade phia.
31	Jennie	Female	11th	Geo. Tonkin	Nannie Prowse	"	"	Graute-cutter	England	England

Date-1898.

MARRIAGES.

Marriages Registered in the City of Concord, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1898.

JANUARY.

Place of Marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Name of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
1 Concord.	Henry Carter.	Concord.	50	W.	Cabinet-maker.	England	John Carter.	England	2d		Rev. John H. Emerson, Concord.
	Helen L. Smith.	"	56	"	Home.	New Boston	Ann (Crossley).	Mont Vernon.	Housekeeper.	1st	
2 "	Freeman Marqui.	"	26	"	Mason.	Canada.	David G. Smith.	Henniker.	Laborer.	"	Rev. J. N. Plafie, Concord.
	Ida Lemay.	"	20	"	Tailress.	"	Freeman Marqui.	Canada.	Housewife.	"	
4 "	Harry E. Maynard.	Loudon.	28	"	Milkman.	Loudon.	Ida (—)	"	Farmer.	"	Rev. Geo. H. Plafie, Concord.
	Mary I. Rand.	Concord.	23	"	Home.	Concord	Virginia (Leclair).	Hopkinton.	Housewife.	"	
5 "	Michael Maheux.	"	35	"	Laborer.	Canada.	Luella C. Sanders.	Saugus, Mass.	Farmer.	"	Rev. J. N. Plafie, Concord.
	Florence Marces.	"	38	"	Home.	"	Charles J. Rand.	Canada.	Housewife.	2d	
9 "	George V. Perry, Jr.	"	21	"	Piano-polisher.	Concord.	Louis Maheux.	"	Farmer.	1st	Rev. J. N. Plafie, Concord.
	Addie V. Curtis.	Manchester.	23	"	Hosiery-maker.	Monroe, Me.	Delmas (Nado).	Concord.	Housewife.	"	Rev. John G. Hook, Concord.
10 "	George D. Mason.	Concord.	26	"	Com'l Traveller.	Brookfield, Vt.	Joseph (Parr).	Monroe, Me.	Farmer.	"	Rev. J. H. Robinson, Concord.
	Mary A. Orkina.	Brookfield Vt.	18	"	Teacher.	Weston Vt.	Arlene (Parr).	Williamston, Vt.	Housewife.	"	
							Mary Welch.	Weston, Vt.	Housewife.	"	
							Benjamin Curtis.	"	Farmer.	"	
							Elizabeth (Fisher).	"	Housekeeper.	"	
							George E. Mason.	"	Farmer.	"	
							Mary M. (Howe).	"	Housewife.	"	
							Almanza Orkina.	"	Housewife.	"	
							Alice (Moore).	"	Housewife.	"	

12	Concord...	Roy E. George...	Concord...	28	W.	Clerk	Bristol	Frank H. George Martha J. Carrier...	Plymouth	Merchant	1st	Rev. F. L. Phalen, Concord.
12	Laconia...	Mabel F. Evans...	"	25	"	Home	Concord	Lia C. Evans Helen G. (Howe)	Hill	Printer	"	"
15	Franklin...	William H. Holt...	"	21	"	Mgr. Holt Bros.	"	A. Frank Holt S. Annette (Wheeler)	Concord	Housewife	"	Rev. Lucius Water- man, Laonia.
15	Franklin...	Flora F. Stone...	Laconia	20	"	Home	Brookfield, Me.	S. J. Stone Mary A. (Hayward)	Dorchester, Mass.	Housekeeper	"	"
15	Franklin...	Joshua A. Smith...	Concord	26	"	Weaver	Buxton, Me.	Charles A. Smith Lizzie A. (Smith)	Fitchburg, Mass.	Housekeeper	"	Rev. Edwin S. Elder, Franklin.
18	Concord...	Flora B. Wyatt...	Tilton	22	"	Box maker	Tilton	David C. Wyatt Clara (Pat co)	Bronfield, Me	Spinner	2d	"
18	Concord...	William Siattlerly...	Concord	25	"	Melter	Ireland	William Siattlerly Margaret (Harriman)	Halloway	Housewife	1st	Rev. F. X. Lyons, Concord.
19	"	Hannah O'Brien...	"	24	"	Cook	"	Jeremiah O'Brien Johannah (Corbett)	"	"	"	"
19	"	Dana F. Fellows...	Franklin	24	"	Jeweler	Franklin	Gilbert G. Fellows Maria H. (Booth)	Franklin	Jeweler	"	Rev. F. X. Lyons, Concord.
19	"	Katharine F. Hoben...	Concord	30	"	Home	West Concord	Michael Noble Margaret (Abern)	Lebanon	Dresser	"	"
19	"	William Lynch...	"	24	"	Laborer	Ireland	John Lynch Mary (Cotter)	"	Laborer	"	Rev. F. X. Lyons, Concord
19	"	Annie Byrne...	"	23	"	Housework	"	Cornelia Byrne Mary (Durbin)	"	Housewife	"	"
19	"	Otis G. Hammond...	"	28	"	Asst. St. Libra'n	Manchester	Isaac N. Hammond Martha A. (Kimball)	Gilsum	Housekeeper	"	Rev Frank L. Phalen Concord.
20	"	Jessie A. Prescott...	"	32	"	Home	Boston, Mass.	Samuel R. Prescott Mary A. (Day)	Concord	Housewife	"	"
20	"	Harry F. Jay...	Boston, Mass.	30	"	Printer	Viual Haven, Me.	Charles J. Jay Coleman Bra	England	Ins. agent	"	Rev. F. X. Lyons, Conc rd.
22	Pembroke	Jenny A. Bray...	Concord	19	"	Home	Concord	Eliza (Deley)	Ireland	Laborer	"	"
22	Pembroke	John Doherty...	"	38	"	Horse dealer	Concord	Timothy Doherty Julia (Hennessy)	"	Housewife	"	Rev. Paul E. Bowen, Pembroke.
25	Concord...	Addie M. Marshal...	"	28	"	Housework	Lunenburg, Vt.	Chauncey M. Snow Eliza E. (Presby)	Lunenburg, Vt.	Farmer	2d	"
25	Concord...	Malcom Swenson...	"	42	"	Stone-cutter	Sweden	Sven J. Nelson Anna C. (Anderson)	Sweden	Housewife	"	Rev. F. X. Lyons, Concord.
26	"	Nellie F. Casey...	"	35	"	Housework	Ireland	John Casey Mary (Ryan)	Ireland	"	1st	"
26	"	Jeremiah Cotter...	"	31	"	Blacksmith	"	William Cotter Bridget (Kelleher)	"	"	"	Rev. F. X. Lyons, Concord.
26	"	Nora T. Hearne...	"	28	"	Housework	Worcester, Mass.	Lawrence Hearne Honora (Ryan)	"	"	"	"

JANUARY.—Continued.

Place of Marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Name of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.	
27	Concord....	Elmer Cross.....	Haverhill.....	37	W.	Loco. Engineer.	Bath.....	Richard S. Cross. Mary A. (Martin).....	Bath.....	Carpenter. Housewife.	2d	Rev. John Yannevar Concord-
27	"	Hannah L. West.....	Concord.....	37	"	Tailor's.....	Chichester.....	Jacob West. Christina (Seavey).....	Chichester.....	Housekeeper.	1st	
	"	James Duffy.....	Danville, P. Q.....	25	"	Carpenter.....	Nova Scotia.....	Thomas Duffy. Sarah (Johnson).....	Nova Scotia. Sweden.	Housekeeper.	2d	
30	"	Laura Placey.....	"	36	"	Home.....	Canada.....	William J. Rome. Elizabeth (Cummings).....	Canada.	"	"	
	"	Frank A. Arnold.....	Concord.....	31	"	Brakeman.....	Fitchburg, Mass.....	Wm. E. Arnold. Esther (—).....	Norwich, Conn.	"	"	
	"	Lizzie B. Goodrich.....	"	24	"	Waitress.....	Lakeport.....	John Mattais. Lucy (Gong ne).....	Canada.	Farmer. Housewife.	"	

FEBRUARY.

2	W. Concord	William A. Frazer.....	Concord.....	24	W.	Granite Cutter.....	Rockland, Me.....	Wm. C. Fraser. Sarah (McDougal).....	Hallfax.....	Stone cutter Housewife.....	1st	Rev. D. W. Clark, West Concord,
8	Concord	Alice M. Corser.....	"	23	"	Home.....	Concord.....	Charles W. Corser. Mary (Emerson).....	"	Mill hand.....	"	"
	"	Bartley P. Clancy.....	"	32	"	Restaurant.....	Ireland.....	Peter Clancy (Catherine (Willigan)).....	Ireland.....	Housewife.....	"	Rev. F. X. Lyons, Concord.
9	"	Annie A. Chambers.....	"	24	"	Home.....	Concord.....	Wm. Chambers. Sarah (Broderick).....	"	"	"	"
	"	Luther P. Durgin.....	"	74	"	Printer.....	Sanbornton.....	Hazen Durgin. Deborah (Thompson).....	Sanbornton.....	"	3d	Rev. E. R. Wilkins, Concord.
	"	Isadora P. Nightingale.....	"	41	"	Home.....	Sandwich, Mass.....	Ellis Nightingale. Louise G. (Weeks).....	Sandwich, Mass.....	1st	1st	"
	"	Frank Carlo.....	"	41	"	Laborer.....	Italy.....	Felix Carlo. Antonia (Belcato) George Six (—) Hilda (—).....	Plymouth, Mass Italy.....	"	2d	Rev. John G. Hook, Concord.
	"	Annie M. Michael.....	"	37	"	Home.....	Pembroke.....	"	Concord.....	Farmer.....	1-1	"

"	George S. Wiggins.....	"	24	R. R. Fireman.	Lowell, Mass.	Chase Wiggins.....	Meredith.	"	Rev. F. K. Chase, Concord.
"	Laura J. Flanders.....	Franklin.	32	Housework	Danbury	Mary J. Sawyer.....	Lowell.	2d	"
Penacook.	Arthur F. Cheney.....	Concord	20	Silversmith.	Sutton	Ellen J. (Sawards)	Danbury	Housewife.	Frank T. Cheney, Pembroke.
"	Edith M. Cass.....	"	19	Tailor ss.	Epsom.	Frank T. Cheney.....	Sutton	Housewife.	"
Penacook.	John Sullivan.....	Concord	25	Weaver.	Ireland.	Johnnie A. Walker.....	Epsom	Carpenter	"
"	Agnes Blanchard.....	"	19	Housework	Richford, Vt.	Mary A. (Sisterly)	Ireland	Housework	Rev. D. F. Hurley, Penacook.
Concord.	Thomas Pelletier.....	"	27	"	Canada	Catherine (Deary)	St. Albans, Vt.	Cooper	"
"	Elizabeth Arsenault.	"	20	"	"	Adelaide (Allard)	Northfield, Vt.	Housewife.	Rev. J. N. Plante, Concord.
"	John Maloney.....	"	27	Laborer.	Ireland.	Jouis Pelletier.....	Canada	"	"
"	Catharine Ellitt.....	"	22	Housework	"	Philosene (Pleude).	"	"	"
"	Lewis S. Gould.....	"	20	Loco Fireman.	Whitefield.	Cesar Arsenault.....	Ireland.	"	Rev. F. X. Lyons, Conc 1d.
"	Faunie S. Davis.....	"	18	Home	Concord.	Louise Roy.....	"	"	"
"	Daniel F. Moses.....	Pembroke.	48	Farmer.	Chichest r.	Mary (Widow)	Bethlehem.	Housekeeper	Rev. Elhu Snow, Concord
"	Lura M. Ash.....	Concord	17	Housework	Boston.	William (Elliot)	France	Housewife	"
						Willie Gould.....	Chichest r.	Laborer	Rev. John G. Hook, Concord.
						Jennie (Payan).	Lowell	Housewife	"
						N. N. Davis.....	Bristol	"	"
						Annie (Jones).	England.	"	"
						David Moses.....	"	"	"
						Lydia (Jones).	"	"	"
						George N. Ash.....	"	"	"
						Mary Anne (—)	"	"	"

MARCH.

Concord.	Er ing R. Guernsey...	Concord	22	W. Salesman	Cambridge, Mass.	Edwin L. Guernsey...	a hitman, Mass.	1st	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.
"	Edith C. Brewster...	"	20	Home	Boston	Georgia J. (Sharp).	Ireland.	"	"
"	Frank P. Do'ige.....	Hopkinton	29	Carpenter	Hopkinton, N. H.	Wm. Brewster.....	P. E. Island.	"	Rev. R. D. Grant, Concord.
Concord.	Gertrude M. Elliott.	Concord	27	Teacher	Concord	Wm. F. Dodge.....	Hopkinton.	"	"
Concord.	James O. Perkins...	"	23	Laborer.	Watertown, N. Y.	Martha J. Edgerly...	New Hampton.	"	"
"	Grace Clark.....	Boston.	22	Conposit r.	Boston	Alfred Elliott.	Rosawan.	"	"
						Laura M. (Ordway).	Hopkinton.	"	"
						James Perkins.....	Canada.	"	"
						Franka (T. skett).	England	"	Rev. D. C. Roberts, Concord.
						John Clark.....	"	2d	"
						Grace Wheale.....	"	"	"

MARRIAGES.-MARCH.-(Continued)

Date-1898	Place of Marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Name of Parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
12	Bow.	Henry Hanson	Concord	34	W.	Stone Mason	Norway	Harrison Hanson	Norway	Stonemason	1st	Rev. Mark Tisdale, Bow.
		Emma M. Drew	Bow.	17	"	Housework	Pembroke	George A. Drew	Pembroke	Housewife	"	"
13	Hopkinton	John W. Bourlet, Jr.	Concord	25	"	Printer	New York city	John W. Bourlet	New York city	Printer	"	Rev. E. Sanderson, Hopkinton.
		Kath'ne S. McKenzie	Nova Scotia	26	"	Home	Nova Scotia	Abbie A. Webster	Nova Scotia	Housewife	2d	"
16	New Sharon, Me.	Ernest A. Bunker	Concord	25	"	Bank clerk	Concord	David T. Smith	Barnstead	Housewife	1st	Rev. Geo. A. Merrill, New Sharon, Me.
20	Concord	Bertha M. Porter	New Sharon, Me.	21	"	Home	Stark, Me.	James S. Williams	New Sharon, Me.	House-keeper	"	"
		Albert L. Allen	Concord	41	"	Carpenter	Harpwell, Me.	Marian K. Pendergast	"	Housewife	2d	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.
21	"	Annie S. Griffin	Poston	32	"	"	Berkshire, Vt.	Harriet L. (Gordon)	Durham, Me.	Carpenter	"	"
		Frank King	Concord	37	"	Machinist	Encaburg, Vt.	Thankful (Johnson)	Bear River, N. S.	"	"	Rev. F. K. Chase, Concord.
25	"	Matilda J. Cutter	"	35	"	Housework	Concord	Dow Jones	Canada	Machinist	"	"
		William H. Eastman	"	36	"	Mechanic	Concord	Car line (Vroomer)	"	Housewife	"	"
28	Nashua	Carrie K. Thompson	"	30	"	Home	Manchester	William King	"	"	"	W. A. J. Giles, J. P., Concord.
		Edwin C. Hedding	"	24	"	Teamster	Chazy, N. Y.	Mary (Forard)	Concord	Mechanic	"	"
30	Concord	Edna S. P. att.	Manchester	22	"	Dressmaker	Moore's Fork, N. Y.	Richard Allen	England	Housekeeper	1st	Rev. J. M. Durrell, Nashua.
		Fred S. Berry	Concord	32	"	Civil Engineer	Farmington, N. H.	Kate (—)	Manchester	"	"	"
		Ferina C. Stratton	"	32	"	Dressmaker	Gilchester, Mass.	Oscar Hedding	Scotland	Housekeeper	"	"
								David B. Pratt	"	Housewife	2d	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.

APRIL.

Concord...	Henry H. Pearl...	Concord	42	W. Blacksmith...	London...	Levi Pearl...	Stratham	Farmer	1st	Rev. A. T. Hillman, Concord.
"	Hattie M. Sewell...	"	21	Bookkeeper...	Concord	Hannah Simpson...	Concord	Laborer	"	"
"	John G. Finney...	"	31	Weaver...	Worcester, Mass.	Charles H. Sewall...	Ireland...	Housewife	21	Rev. D. F. Hurley, Penacook.
"	Jennie Plankey...	"	21	Home...	N. Y. state	Charles Gasquey...	Canada...	Cabinet Maker	1st	Rt. Rev. W. W. Niles, D. D., Concord.
"	Charles O. Crosby...	"	23	Fireman...	Etta, Me.	Bridget (C. C. H.)...	Redford, N. Y.	Housewife	"	"
"	Grace E. Burnham...	"	22	Home...	Epsom	Rose Lafontaine...	Plymouth, Me.	Farmer	"	"
Manchester	Fred W. Kelly...	B. W.	35	Farmer...	Rumney	Charles R. Burnham...	Epsom	"	"	Rev. N. L. Col y, Manchester.
"	Georgie I. Dame...	Concord	22	Nurse...	Portsmouth	Eugenia (Merrill)...	Rumney	"	"	"
Boscawen	Frank A. Heath...	London	44	Farmer...	Hopkinton	Mary J. Clarke...	Wentworth	"	"	"
"	Mabel Bernard...	Concord	22	Housework...	Penacook	Geo. P. Dame...	Portsmouth	"	"	Rev. Andrew Gibson, Boscawen.
Concord	Emmy Desmarais...	"	21	R. R. Brakeman	Canada...	John S. Heath...	Webster	Farmer	21	"
"	Valida Laurion...	"	18	Housework...	"	Mary E. (Leveley)...	Andover	Farmer	"	"
W. Concord	Clinton O. Partridge...	"	23	Grover...	W. Concord	John Kovey...	Hartford, Conn.	Housewife	"	"
"	Nannie M. Cole...	So. Truro, Mass.	21	Home...	Provincetown	Ellen (David)...	Cedarville, N. J.	Farmer	1st	Rev. J. N. Plante, Concord.
Concord	Charles J. Rovers...	Concord	23	R. R. Employee	Concord	Francis Desmarais...	Canada	Housewife	"	"
"	Maud B. S. born...	"	18	Housekeeper	Bath	Catherine (Gullbault)...	"	Housewife	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	Michael L. Burton...	"	Housewife	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	Odile (Marion)...	Crofton	Blacksmith	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	Simon Partridge...	W. Concord	Housewife	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	Frances (Brown)...	Surry, Me.	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	Adrian (Cove)...	Economy, N. S.	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	Henry H. Rovers...	Ireland	Farmer	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	Katherine (Norman)...	W. Concord	Housekeeper	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	Susan Keniston...	P. E. Island	Housekeeper	"	"

MAY.

Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of groom and bride.	Residence each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Name of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
Concord.	Fred G. Shannon....	Concord	25	W.	Teamster	London.	Levi M. Shannon.... Louisa (unnamed).	London.....	Mechanic.	2d	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.
"	Kate W. Stewart....	"	28	"	Housework	Yarmouth	Albert Stewart.... Ellen (McGuire)	Chichester Portland	Housework. Farmer.	1st	"
"	Alphonse H. Boulet.	"	29	"	Farmer	(Concord)	John Boulet.... Serah (-dams)	Canada.....	Farmer. Housewife.	"	Rev. J. N. Plante, Concord.
Washington, Me.	Mary E. Giddis.....	Chichester.	17	"	Home	Chichester	Edward Giddis.... Emma (Pond)	Manchester Canada	Farmer. Home	"	"
"	William E. Leightle.	Concord	30	"	Physician	Lewiston, Pa.	Hannah C. (Levey).	Albansville, Pa.	Farmer.	"	Rev. F. Palladino, Washington, Me.
Concord	Carolyn Bryant.....	Washington, Me	22	"	Teacher	Washington, Me	John F. Bryant.... Maude K. (Hagar)	Union, Me	Farmer.	"	"
"	Leslie Morrison.....	Concord	30	"	Carpenter	Hurlington, Vt.	Jacob Morrison.... Margaret (Woodley).	"	Housewife.	"	Rev. Ellhu Snow, Concord.
"	Gerlie Merrill.....	Plymouth	21	"	Home	Plymouth	Glory Merrill.... Mary (Grubb)	Plymouth	Carpenter. Housewife.	"	"
"	William H. Ford.....	Concord	20	"	Cigarmaker	Concord	Joseph H. Ford.... Ann (Watkins)	Concord	Moulder.	"	Rev. Ellhu Snow, Concord.
"	Charlotte A. Runnells	"	21	"	Home	"	Lynnan B. Runnells. Mary (White)	Scranton, Pa. Concord	Housewife. Paperhanger	"	"
"	Andrew Pascoe.....	Westerly, R. I.	40	"	Stone cutter	England	William Pascoe.... Elizabeth (Thomas).	England	Housewife. Stone-cutter	"	Rev. D. C. Roberts, D. D., Concord.
"	Janie F. Cornish.....	Concord	30	"	Housework	"	William V. Cornish. Mary Barry	"	Housewife.	"	"
"	L. John Berry.....	"	30	"	Railroading	Bath, Me.	John King..... Devi (Berry)	France	Farmer.	"	Rev. Ellhu Snow, Concord.
"	Jessie McPhee.....	"	22	"	Housework	P. E. Island	Melroin McPhee.... Katherine (—)	Scotland	Housewife.	"	"

11	"	Joseph Manning.....	38	"	Laborer.....	Plattsburg, N. Y.	James Davis.....	England	"	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.
		Clara J. Lamprey.....	43	"	Housework.....	East Andover.....	Lytia A. (Clines).....	Pethboro	2d	
13	"	Arthur F. McKellar.....	39	"	Clerk.....	Rockland, Me.....	Caroline M. (Bailey).....	St. George, Me.	"	Rev. H. P. Dewey, Concord.
		Janie M. McLeod.....	22	"	Home.....	Harcourt, N. B.....	John McLeod.....	New Brunswick	1st	
14	Bow	George L. Frenlist.....	27	"	Laborer.....	Concord.....	John M. Frenlist.....	Pembroke	2d	Rev. Sam'l Wood- bury, Bow.
		Amy I. Gay.....	16	"	Housework.....	"	Juditha (Bell).....	Concord	1st	
16	Revere, Mass.	James A. Coburn.....	41	"	Merchant.....	New Durham.....	Ann (Stewart).....	Worcester	"	
		Ellie E. Davis.....	33	"	Housework.....	Concord.....	Martha J. (Willcy).....	Pallam	2d	L. K. Washburn, J. P. Revere, Mass.
16	Manchester	Arvid Dahlgren.....	26	"	Stonecutter.....	Sweden.....	Sarah T. (—).....	Salisbury	"	
		Emma Olson.....	23	"	Housework.....	"	Emma (—).....	Sweden	1st	Rev. A. Carlson, Manchester.
27	Concord.	Major R. Hale.....	40	"	Electro-plater.....	Rensselaer, N. Y.....	Frederick Hale.....	Hartford, Conn.	"	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.
		Ray G. Matott.....	"	"	Housework.....	New York State.....	Joseph Matott.....	N. Y. State	2d	
31	Laconia.	Frank Hayward.....	45	"	Machinist.....	Concord.....	Wm. Hayward.....	Laconia, N. H.	2d	Rev. J. E. Evering- ham, Laconia.
		Elizabeth A. Gay.....	42	"	Housework.....	Sherbrooke, P. Q.....	Martha S. (Woods).....	Ireland	2d	
							Elizabeth (Stoane).....	"	2d	

JUNE.

1	Concord	Timothy F. Rolfe.....	26	W.	Telegrapher.....	Concord.....	Henry Rolfe.....	Concord	Carpenter.....	1st	Rev. D. C. Easton, Laconia.
		Mary J. Wilkinson.....	19	"	Home.....	England.....	Nellie E. (Gleason).....	"	Housewife.....	"	
		C. G. Brocklehurst.....	24	"	Silversmith.....	"	Mary J. (Heley).....	England	Mechanic.....	"	
1	"	Catherine King.....	19	"	Laundress.....	Canada.....	C. B. Brocklehurst.....	"	Housewife.....	"	Rev. Ellhu Snow, Concord.
							Sophia (Gordon).....	"	"	"	
							Robert King.....	Canada	Farmer.....	1st	
							Mary J. (Veo).....	"	Housewife.....	"	

MAY.

Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of groom and bride.	Residence each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Name of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
Concord	Fred G. Shannon	Concord	25	W	Teamster	London	Levi M. Shannon	London	Mechanic	2d	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.
"	Kate W. Stewart	"	28	"	Housework	Yarmouth	Louisa (unnings)	Chichester	Housework	1st	
"	Alphonse H. Boukt.	"	20	"	Farmer	Concord	Albert Stewart	Fortland	Farmer	"	
Washington, Me.	Mary E. Giddis	Chichester	17	"	Home	Chichester	Ellen (McGuire)	Canada	Farmer	"	Rev. J. N. Plante, Concord.
"	William E. Leightle	Concord	30	"	Physician	Lewiston, Pa.	John Eoult	Manchester	Farmer	"	
"	Carolyn Bryant	Washington, Me.	22	"	Teacher	Washington, Me.	Edward Giddis	Canada	Farmer	"	Rev. F. Palladino, Washington, Me.
Concord	Leslie Morrison	Concord	30	"	Carpenter	Burlington, Vt.	James E. Leightle	Unkn, Me	Farmer	"	
"	Gerie Merrill	Plymouth	21	"	Home	Plymouth	Hannah C. (Lowrey)	Plymouth	Housewife	"	Rev. Ellihu Snow, Concord.
"	William H. Ford	Concord	20	"	Cigarmaker	Concord	Marcie E. (Hagar)	Concord	Carpenter	"	
"	Charlotte A. Runnells	"	21	"	Home	"	Margaret (Woodley)	Plymouth	Housewife	"	Rev. Ellihu Snow, Concord.
"	Andrew Pascoe	Westerly, R. I.	40	"	Stone cutter	England	George Merrill	Concord	Moulder	"	
"	Janie P. Cornish	Concord	30	"	Housework	"	Annie Watkins	Scranton, Pa.	Housewife	"	Rev. D. C. Roberts, D. D., Concord.
"	L. John Berry	"	30	"	Railroading	Bath, Me.	Lyman E. Runnells	Concord	Paperhanger	"	
"	Jessie McPhee	"	22	"	Housework	P. E. Island	Mary (White)	Unkn	Housewife	"	
							Elizabeth (Thomas)	England	Stone-cutter	"	
							William J. Cornish	"	Housewife	"	
							Margaret V. Willis	"	Gardener	"	
							John Berry	France	Farmer	"	Rev. Ellihu Snow, Concord.
							Devi (King)	Scotland	Housewife	"	
							Malcolm McPhee	"	Housewife	"	
							Katherine (—)	"	Housewife	"	

11	"	Joseph Manning	"	38	"	Laborer	Plattsburg, N. Y.	James Davis Lydia A. (children)	England	Farmer	"	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.
	"	Clara J. Lauprey	"	48	"	Housework	East Andover	Arch' and McKellar	Lebanon, Me.	Housewife	2d	
13	"	Arthur F. McKellar	"	39	"	Clerk	Rockland, Me.	Caroline M. (Bailey)	St. George, Me.	Housewife	"	Rev. H. P. Dewey, Concord.
	"	Janie M. McLeod	"	22	"	Home	Harcourt, N. B.	John McLeod	New Brunswick	Mill owner	1st	
14	Bow	George L. Prentiss	"	27	"	Laborer	Concord	John M. Prentiss	Pembroke	Farmer	2d	Rev. Sam'l Wood- bury, Bow.
	"	Amy I. Gay	"	16	"	Housework	"	Madeline (neph)	Concord	Farmer	1st	
16	Revere, Mass.	James A. Coburn	"	41	"	Merchant	New Durham	Wm. H. Gay	M. Inc.	Housewife	2d	L. K. Washburn, J. P. Revere, Mass.
	"	Ella E. Davila	"	33	"	Housework	Concord	Martha J. (Wiley)	Velham	Laborer	"	
16	Manchester	Arvid Dahlgren	"	28	"	Stonecutter	Sweden	Joseph S. Bean	Salisbury	"	1st	Rev. A. Carlson, Manchester.
	"	Emma Olson	"	23	"	Housework	"	Sarah T. (—)	Sweden	Cabinet-maker	"	
27	Concord	Major R. Hile	"	40	"	Electro-plater	Remsen, N. Y.	Emma (—)	"	Housewife	"	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.
	"	Ray G. Matott	"	"	"	Housework	New York State	Frederick Hale	Hartford, Conn.	Housewife	2d	
31	Laconia	Frank Hayward	"	45	"	Machinist	Concord	Harriet J. (Boers)	N. Y. state	"	3d	Rev. J. E. Evering- ham, Laconia.
	"	Elizabeth A. Gay	Laconia	42	"	Housework	Sherbrooke, P. Q.	Wm. Hayward	Ireland	"	2d	
								Martha J. (Woods)	"			
								James Jameson	"			
								Elizabeth (Sloane)	"			

JUNE.

1	Concord	Timothy P. Rolfe	Concord	26	W.	Telegrapher	Concord	Hen'y Rolfe	Concord	Carpenter	1st	Rev. D. C. Easton, Laconia.
	"	Mary J. Wilkinson	Pembroke	19	"	Home	England	Nellie E. (gleason)	England	Housewife	"	
	"	C. G. Brocklehurst	Concord	24	"	Sliversmith	"	Henry J. (Heley)	"	Mechanic	"	
	"	Catherine King	"	19	"	Laundress	Canada	C. B. Brocklehurst	"	Housewife	1st	Rev. Elhu Snow, Concord.
								Sophia (Gordon)	"	Farmer		
								Robert King	"	Housewife		
								Mary J. (Veo)	"			

MARRIAGES-JUNE.-Continued.

Date-1938.	Place of Marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Name of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
1	Concord...	Herbert G. Allen	Concord	21	W.	Draughtsman	Vinal Haven, Me.	Josephine W. Allen (Charnier K. (Rolle)	Bucksport, Me.	Stone-cutter	1st	Rev. Elhu Snow, Concord.
		Grace M. Plastringe	"	17	"	Home	Concord	M.V. B. Plastringe	Stowe, Vt.	Housewife	"	"
1	Plymouth	Alfred L. Brown	"	42	"	Engineer	Haverhill	Clesta (Thompson)	Royalton, t.	"	2d	Rev. J. H. Emerson, Plymouth.
		Alice I. Sawyer	Plymouth	28	"	Housework	Woodstock	Leonard J. Brown	Franklin	Shoemaker	1st	"
7	Concord	John H. Inson	Concord	28	"	Painter	England	Eunice A. Green	Haverhill	Housewife	"	Rev. A. C. Hardy, Concord.
		Edith I. Philbrick	"	10	"	Housework	Concord	E. G. Sawyer	New Hampton	Butcher	"	"
8	"	Joseph A. Connell	Richmond, Va.	25	"	Stonecutter	Richmond, Va.	Julia (Hanson)	Gilmanston	Housewife	"	Rev. J. E. Barry, Concord.
		Emm M. Caldbeck	Concord	22	"	Home	Canada	John Ine on	England	Housewife	"	"
8	"	Clarence F. Sargent	"	23	"	Brakeman	Louden	Martha (Paylor)	Concord	Housekeeper	"	"
		Mary L. Eastman	Boscawen	28	"	Home	Boscawen	Orlando Philbrick	Concord	Housewife	"	Rev. F. K. Chase, Concord.
8	"	Henry M. Hanson	Concord	21	"	Conductor R.R. Webster	Lowell, Mass.	Mary G. (Martin)	Italy	Housewife	"	Rev. John Vannevar, Concord.
		Sadie A. Foss	Lowell, Mass.	22	"	Home	Lowell, Mass.	Fred Connell	Germany	Housewife	1st	"
9	"	Alec. C. Whitcomb	Concord	24	"	Engineer	Bradford	William (Crush)	New York City	Farmer	"	Rev. Ellhu Snow, Concord.
		Grace B. Silver	"	24	"	Clerk	Concord	Sophia (Crush)	Canada	Carpenter	"	"
9	W. Concord	Charles H. Quinn, Jr.	"	25	"	Physician	Hillsboro	Eliza A. (Carroll)	Canada	Housewife	"	Rev. D. W. Clark, Concord.
		Ada F. Farmer	"	20	"	Home	Concord	J. F. (Sargent)	Canterbury	Housewife	"	"
								Clara A. (Weglin)	Amesbury, Mass.	Housewife	"	"
								Joseph G. Eastman	Boscawen	Housewife	"	"
								Martha (Fritchard)	Boscawen	Housewife	"	"
								Dorothy Hanson	Canterbury	Housewife	2d	"
								Minerva (Hussey)	Lowell, Mass.	Housewife	1st	"
								Frank L. Foss	Lowell, Mass.	Housewife	"	"
								Ida A. (Carroll)	Canterbury	Housewife	"	"
								Frank L. Whitcomb	Lowell, Mass.	Housewife	"	"
								Ida A. (McJanett)	Rockport, Mass.	Housewife	"	"
								Wm. C. Silver	Concord	Housewife	"	"
								Ellen M. (Barnes)	"	Housewife	"	"
								Chas. H. Quinn	Newbury	Housewife	"	"
								Helen M. (Simonds)	Concord	Housewife	"	"
								Geo. R. Farmer	Concord	Housewife	"	"
								Nellie (Holmes)	Concord	Housewife	"	"

9	Concord...	Martin C. Johnson...	"	27	W.	Carpenter...	Sweden...	Charles Johnson...	Sweden...	"	Laborer...	Rev. O. Lindh, Concord.
		Mary Jensen...	"	21	"	Housew. le...	Denmark...	Hannah Nicklars...	Denmark...	"	"	"
9	Concord...	Jeremiah J. Shea...	Concord	23	"	Clerk...	Bondsville, Mass.	Eliza Winters...	Ireland...	"	Horse dealer...	1st Rev. J. E. Barry, Concord.
		Annie McCormick...	Thorndike Mass	18	"	Housework...	Worcester, Mass.	Margaret (McNolan)	Thorndike, Mass.	"	Housewife...	"
2	Ayer, Mass.	Earl C. Bodwell...	Concord	34	"	Foreman...	Concord...	William McCormick...	Worcester, Mass.	2d	Mechanic...	Rev. H. F. Hallett, Ayer, Mass.
		Vera Felch...	Ayer, Mass.	34	"	Dressmaker...	Millford, Mass.	George B. dwell...	Concord...	1st	Farmer...	"
4	Concord...	George E. Belisle...	Concord	22	"	Cigardealer...	Canada...	Andrew Belisle...	Canada...	"	Harnessmaker...	Rev. J. E. Barry, Concord.
		Maud T. Jacobs...	"	20	"	Home...	Concord...	Mary L. (Hall)	Norfield, Vt.	"	Barber...	"
5	"	Harry G. Rolfe...	"	25	"	Salesman...	"	Mary E. (Coughlin)	Concord...	"	Housewife...	Rev. E. G. Spencer, Sandwich, Mass.
		Mary F. Symonds...	"	22	"	Home...	"	Alfred W. Rolfe...	Roscowen...	"	Housewife...	"
5	Chichester	Harry T. Shaw...	Chichester	30	"	Clerk...	P'ttsfield...	George A. J. (Gage)	Concord...	"	Shoe freighter...	Rev. J. A. Steele, Chichester.
		Falth L. Towle...	"	27	"	Teacher...	Chichester...	Wm. U. Shaw...	Chichester...	"	Farmer...	"
2	Concord...	Howard C. Morgan...	Concord	25	"	Salt-sman...	Concord...	Emily M. (Berry)	Chichester...	"	Housewife...	Rev. J. Vannavar, Concord.
		Sidney E. Upham...	"	25	"	Home...	"	Abbie J. Watson...	Hooksett...	"	Carpenter...	"
5	Boscawen.	John Edmunds...	"	19	"	Laborer...	England...	Lydia M. (Harrington)	Lownderry...	"	Housewife...	"
		Vida Milne...	"	18	"	Housework...	Scotland...	Sidney S. Upham...	Lownderry...	"	Foreman...	"
7	Concord...	Frank T. Ham...	"	23	"	Farmer...	Canada...	Auselia A. (Whittier)	Lownderry...	"	Housewife...	Rev. Andrew Gibson, Boscawen.
		Margaret J. Clark...	"	26	"	Cook...	Ireland...	Samuel Edmunds...	England...	"	Mason...	"
9	Concord...	William M. Reagan...	Concord	20	"	Plumber...	St. Albans...	Alexander Milne...	Scotland...	"	Housewife...	Rev. J. E. Barry, Concord.
		Bertha M. Hill...	Canaan	21	"	Housework...	Can an...	Jessie (Gray)	Scotland...	"	Harnessmaker...	"
								John Clark...	England...	"	Housekeeper...	"
								Helen (Gilmore)	Canada...	"	"	"
								Elizabeth (McKean)	Ireland...	"	"	"
								John C. Reagan...	St. Albans, Vt.	1st	R. R. conductor	Rev. J. E. Barry, Concord.
								Ezra (Kelley)	Norfield, Vt.	"	Farmer...	"
								Frank Hill...	Bradford, Vt.	"	Housewife...	"
								Ellen (Goodard)	"	"	"	"

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29 Concord...	William F. Spellman	Concord.....	30	W.	Salesman.....	Concord.....	Thomas H. Spellman. Ellen (Driscoll) Welch.....	Concord..... Ireland.....	Baker..... Housewife.....	1st	Rev. J. E. Barry, Concord.
"	Elizabeth C. Welch..	"	27	"	Home.....	Washington, D.C.	Patrick Welch..... Margaret Sexton.....	"	"	"	"
20 " "	Henry H. Amsden..	Attleboro, Mass	25	"	Physician	Concord.....	Chas. H. Amsden. Helen A. Brown.....	Boscawen..... Concord.....	Naval dept. Housewife.....	"	Rev. F. D. Ayer, D. D., Concord.
"	Grace F. Page.....	Concord.....	25	"	Home.....	Medford, Mass.....	Chas. T. Page. Almira (Booth).....	Woburn, Mass. Lebanon.....	Treasurer. Housewife.....	"	"
30 " "	Ernest N. Fogg.....	"	22	"	Com. Traveller.	Manchester.....	Willis P. Fogg. Addie Hall.....	Charlestown. Ellenburg, N. Y.....	Overseer..... ".....	"	Rev. W. H. Hutchlin, Concord.
	Lillian A. Wallace...	"	23	"	Waitress.....	Canterbury.....	John Wallace. Nellie (Burnett).....	"	"	"	"

JULY.

7 Plymouth, [Mass.	William C. Pray.....	Concord.....	48	W.	Steward.....	Dorchester, Mass.	W. H. Pray. Elizabeth S. Bird.....	Boston, Mass.....	Merchant..... Housewife.....	2d	Rev. H. Adairourian, Plymouth, Mass.
14 Concord...	Harriett M. Molmes..	Plymouth, Mass	28	"	Home.....	Plymouth, Mass.	Clark W. Holmes. Abbie C. Briggs.....	Plymouth, Mass.....	Farmer..... Housewife.....	1st	"
"	Albert F. Ball.....	Concord.....	29	"	Painter	Lunenburg, Vt.	Richard Ball..... Ella (Hartshorn).....	Lunenburg, Vt.....	Farmer..... Carpenter.....	2d	Rev. F. K. Chase, Concord.
16 " "	Cora B. Gilmore.....	"	19	"	Home.....	Concord.....	Lucius H. Gilmore. Melvina (bornham).....	Canada..... Dover.....	Housewife..... Housewife.....	1st	"
"	Joseph Wentworth..	"	90	"	Retired.....	Sandwich.....	Paul Wentworth..... Lydia C. (Couswell).....	"	"	2d	Rev. H. P. Dewey, Concord.
"	Clementine B. Couch	"	47	"	Housekeeper...	Charlotte, Me.....	Katherine Bridges. Margaret (Clark).....	"	"	3d	"
20 Concord...	James H. Hartz.....	Concord.....	20	"	Teamster	P. E. Island.....	George W. Hartz. Margaret (Hickoe).....	P. E. Island.....	Farmer..... Housewife.....	1st	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.
	Eliza McKinnon.....	"	24	"	Housemaid.....	"	Alexander McKinnon. Ann (Hood).....	"	Housewife.....	"	"

10	"	Carroll H. Ludlow...	"	21	W.	R. R. switchman	Northfield N. H.	Whitten Ludlow	Canterbury	Sec. foreman	"	Rev. W. H. Hutchins,
		Grace V. Ray	"	20	"	Housekeeper.	Suncook N. H.	William F. Ray	New Hampton	Machinist	"	Concord.
25	"	Edward F. Boulay...	"	30	"	Beltmaker	Canada	Laura F. (Robinson)	Sunapee, N. H.	Housewife	"	
		Dora M. Chartier....	"	24	"	Dressmaker	"	Louis A. Boulay	Canada	Laborer	"	Rev. J. N. Plante,
30	Plymouth	Charles H. Brown...	"	24	"	Clerk	Newbury N. H.	Irene Chartier	"	Shoemaker	"	Concord.
		Minnie B. Smith....	Plymouth	23	"	Housemaid	Plymouth	Dina Dupont	Bradford, N. H.	Farmer	"	D. M. Tenney, J. P.,
31	Concord...	Charles E. Hunt....	Concord	26	"	Clerk	Sterling, Mass	Margaret Brown	Wentworth	Clerk	"	Plymouth.
		Etta B. Dimond....	"	26	"	Clerk	Concord	Albert S. Smith	Shelbyville, K. Z.	Housewife	"	
								Catherine E. (—)	Boston	Real es. agt	"	Rev. E. R. Wilkins,
								Charles A. Hurt	Frammingham	Housewife	"	Concord.
								Sarah F. (Giburne)	Concord	Farmer	"	
								Gilman H. Dimond	"	Housewife	"	
								Mary E. (Colby)	"	Housewife	"	

AUGUST.

3	Concord...	Michael J. Lee.....	Concord	37	W.	Plumber	Concord	John Lee	Ireland	Switchman	1st	Rev. J. E. Barry,
		Margaret M. Leary...	"	29	"	Teacher	"	Catherine (Cockling)	"	Housewife	"	Concord.
3	Runney...	Edgar A. Howe.....	"	43	"	Trained nurse	West Lebanon	James Leary	Theford, Vt.	Farmer	"	Rev. W. F. Felch,
		Mary Ella Hart.....	"	40	"	Dressmaker	Campton	Julia (Bresnahan)	Norwich, Vt.	"	"	Runney
10	Concord ..	William H. Lane....	Concord	27	"	Loco. Engineer	Ireland	May Jane (—)	Hartford, Vt.	Farmer	"	
		Susan E. Casey.....	"	26	"	Dressmaker	"	Edson F. Hart	Ireland	"	"	Rev. T. M. O'Leary...
11	"	Herbert Bowman...	"	24	"	Machinist	P. E. Island	Mary Jane (Morrison)	"	"	"	Concord.
		Harriet E. Stevenson	"	20	"	Housework	"	William Lane	England	"	"	Rev. F. K. Chase,
14	"	Peter J. Flood.....	Manchester	31	"	Printer	Ireland	Nora (Dally)	P. E. Island	Housewife	"	Concord.
		Lena J. Albert.....	Concord	22	"	Weaver	Sweden	Catherine (Crowe)	Ireland	"	"	Rev. J. N. Plante,
20	Manchester	Eric A. Anderson ...	"	26	"	Stonecutter	"	Richard Bowman	Canada	"	"	Concord.
		Selma Fogelberg....	"	29	"	Housework	"	James Stevens	Sweden	Carpenter	"	Rev. A. Carlson,
								Maggie J. (Linkletter)	"	Housewife	"	Manchester
								Michael Flood	"	"	"	
								Catherine (Clark)	"	"	"	
								David J. Albert	"	"	"	
								Emma (W. elsh)	"	"	"	
								Anders Swanson	"	"	"	
								Nova (—)	"	"	"	
								Alfred Fogelberg	"	"	"	
								Gustava (—)	"	"	"	

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20	Penacook.	William A. Massie.	21	W.	Printer.	Canada.	James L. Massie. Mary E. (Noyes).	Scotland.	Station agent.	1st	Rev. C. R. Bailey, Penacook.
		Alice M. Ackerman.	22	"	Printer.	Andover.	W. H. Ackerman. Alice M. (Kirk).	Boston.	Housewife.	"	"
24	Concord.	Peter G. Rennie.	21	"	R. R. Fireman.	Sherbrooke, P. Q.	James Rennie. Mary (Prince).	Andover, Mass.	Housewife.	"	Rev. W. H. Hutchin, Concord.
		Maude S. Perry.	19	"	Waitress.	Pittsfield.	George G. Perry. Mary (Weich).	Canada.	Farmer.	"	"
27	"	Anders J. Nelson.	22	"	Stonecutter.	Sweden.	Nils Lamson. Annie (Erikson).	Concord.	"	"	Rev. O. Lindh, Concord.
		Annie Bergh.	22	"	Housework.	"	(A. J. Swenson). Christina (Johnson).	Sweden.	"	"	"
31	"	William A. Dunklee.	27	"	Stablekeeper.	Chicago.	Wm. A. Dunklee. Mary R. (Irwin).	Chicago.	"	"	Rev. W. H. Hutchin, Concord.
		Alma Dyer Hale.	30	"	Nurse.	Appleton.	Reuben Dyer. Delia (Ripley).	Appleton, Me.	"	2d	"

SEPTEMBER.

6	Concord.	Grant Batcher.	26	W.	Blacksmith.	Solon, Me.	John G. Batcher. Abbie R. Wade.	Solon, Me.	Farmer.	1st	Rev. A. C. Hardy, Concord.
		Inez Blanche Chase.	19	"	Housekeeper.	Campton, N. H.	Charles Chase. Murieta (Sargent).	Thomaston, Me.	Housekeeper.	"	"
8	"	Milton F. Smith.	25	"	Physician.	Stanton, Va.	Joseph V. Smith. Mary (Finch).	"	Housekeeper.	"	"
		Bertha E. Himes.	24	"	Home.	Castleton, Vt.	William I. Himes. Adelaide A. (Vincent).	Vickeburg, Miss.	Chapman.	"	Rev. W. L. Himes, Concord.
10	"	Nahum E. Millard.	27	"	Fireman.	Providence.	Nahum Willard. Annette (Grover).	New Brunswick.	Housewife.	"	"
		Carrie V. Dow.	25	"	Dressmaker.	Springfield.	Lorenzo Dow. Rhoda (Sanborn).	Redbury.	Police officer.	2d	Rev. D. C. Easton, Laconia.
								Hillsborough.	"	"	"
								Granatham.	"	"	"

12.	"	Oliver D. Parsons.....	36	W.	Machinist.....	Lawrence, Mass.	P. C. Parsons Mirinda E. Donnett).	Foxcroft, Me.	1st	Rev. H. P. Dewey, Concord.
	"	Emma M. Titcomb.....	38	"	Sewing teacher Concord.....	"	George E. Ripley Nancy Taggart).	Barnstead Vermont	2d	"
12	Lowell	Philippe N. Gosselin.....	31	"	Laborer.....	Canada.	Octave Jossel N. Marie (Lamothe).....	Canada.	1st	Rev. A. Marlon, Concord.
	"	Marie J. C. Fortier.....	31	"	Dressmaker.....	"	(Charles Fortier).	"	"	"
13	Concord	William McIsaac.....	29	"	Laborer.....	Newfoundland	Macie J. C. (Sevigny) Alexander McIsaac).	Scotland.	"	Rev. J. E. Barry Concord.
	"	Sarah O'Leary.....	25	"	Housework.....	New Brunswick.	Patrick O'Leary. Sarah (Fahey).....	Nova Scotia. New Brunswick.	"	"
13	"	James E. Hunt.....	23	"	Farmer.....	Canada.	Hubbard Hunt. Mary A. (Camp).....	Canada.	"	Rev. W. H. Hutchin, Concord.
	"	Orpha Beattie.....	23	"	Housework.....	"	William Beattie. Mary E. (Brock).....	"	"	"
13	"	Oscar C. Quite.....	33	"	Laborer.....	"	Lewis Quite. Rosella (Johnson).....	Hinesburg, Vt.	2d	Rev. W. H. Hutchin, Concord.
	"	Cassie M. Nicholson.....	27	"	Housework.....	Charlotte, Vt.	Luncheon Nicholson. Catherine (McGinnis).	England. Scotland.	1st	"
14	"	Michael C. Casey.....	30	"	Datcher.....	P. E. Island.	Patrick Casey. Catherine (Crowe).....	Ireland.	"	Rev. M. A. R. Kelley Springfield.
	"	Rosanna E. Bolger.....	28	"	Dressmaker.....	Ireland.	John Bolger. Eliza Burns.....	"	"	"
14	Concord	Arthur G. Venne.....	23	"	Blacksmith.....	Canada.	George Venne. Lilla (St. Peter).....	Canada.	"	Rev. J. N. Plante, Concord.
	"	Della M. Smith.....	18	"	Clerk.....	New Brunswick.	Frank Smith. Osithe (Gauvin).....	Canada.	"	"
18	"	Honora St. Onge.....	28	"	Stonecutter.....	Canada.	Edmund St. Onge. Celina (Carignan).....	"	"	Rev. J. N. Plante, Concord.
	"	Agusta Robidas.....	22	"	Home.....	"	Thofie Robidas. Marie (Dionne).....	"	"	"
19	"	William C. Perkins.....	37	"	Civil Engineer.....	"	David C. Perkins. Marcelle (Niles).....	Canada.	2d	Rt. Rev. W. W. Niles, D. D., Concord.
	"	Ada H. Colby.....	37	"	Housekeeper.....	Groveton.	Asa Hatch. Elvira Wilson (Curtis).	Stratford.	"	"
20	Manchester	Elmer P. Brown.....	34	"	Restaurant.....	Bow.	John P. Brown. Elizabeth (Dunklee).....	Bow.	1st	Rev. C. W. Rowley, Manchester.
	"	Lizzie Gillin.....	25	"	Housework.....	Canada.	James Gillin. Matilda (Blackburn).....	Canada. England.	"	"
21	Concord	Loren E. Currier.....	48	"	Restaurant.....	Concord.	Sylvester Currier. Mary B. (Frye).....	Concord.	2d	Rev. H. P. Dewey, Concord.
	"	Carrie J. Wheeler.....	37	"	Tailress.....	St. Johnsbury.	I. W. Colby. Esther M. (Braman).....	Victory, Vt. Canada.	"	"

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23	Concord ..	True H. Johnson.....	Concord	25	W.	Stonecutter.....	Sweden.....	C. M. Johnson..... Mary (Cedergren)..... Pahk Persson..... Petronella (Peterson).....	Sweden.....	Merchant..... Housewife..... Laborer.....	1st	Rev. R. D. Grant, Concord.
25	"	Alma A. Poulsen.....	"	24	"	Housework.....	"	E. H. Hadley..... Saphrona A. (Hoyt).....	"	"	"	"
25	"	Fred G. Hadley	"	30	"	Salesman.....	Bradford.....	P. H. Hadley..... Rachel (—)..... Otis W. Gove.....	Hanover..... Henniker..... Chillicothe.....	Blacksmith..... Housewife..... Nurse.....	2d	Rev. H. P. Dewey, Concord.
26	"	Rosalie N. Parent....	"	24	"	Hairdresser.....	Chillicothe, Ill.....	Mary F. (Thompson)..... Deter H. Locke..... Sarah (Palge)..... Thomas J. (Keough)..... Mary (McKillop)..... Arthur Kelsea..... O. (Sweet)..... N. O. Eurlough..... Nellie M. (Ballou)..... Reuben Smith..... Charlotte (Smith)..... George Sanders..... Prudence (Carter)..... Reuben T. Clough..... Mary Clark.....	Deering..... Pittsfield..... Epsom..... Pittsfield..... Canada..... Canada..... Thononton..... Hill..... France..... Grafton..... New London..... Warner..... Center Harbor.....	"	1st	Rev. H. P. Dewey, Concord.
27	"	Lewis E. Gove	"	20	"	Railroad.....	Pittsfield.....	"	"	"	"	Rev. F. K. Chase, Concord.
27	"	Mellicent J. Locke....	Pittsfield	17	"	Housework.....	"	"	"	"	"	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.
27	"	John A. Keough.....	Concord	29	"	Railroad.....	Canada.....	"	"	"	"	Rev. C. C. Sampson, Tilton.
27	"	Rosa M. Kelsea.....	"	20	"	Housework.....	Londonderry.....	"	"	"	"	"
27	Concord.	Charles C. Burleigh.....	Concord.....	22	"	Butler.....	Concord.....	"	"	"	"	"
27	"	Frances M. Moulton.....	Wakefield, Mass.....	23	"	Housework.....	Wakefield.....	"	"	"	"	"
29	"	Loren A. Sanders.....	Concord	24	"	Student.....	Grafton.....	"	"	"	"	"
29	Tilton.....	Margaret A. Clough ..	Tilton.....	32	"	Teacher.....	Warner.....	"	"	"	"	"

OCTOBER.

3	Concord...	John H. Barry.....	Concord	39	W.	Barber	Concord.....	J. In Barry.....	Ireland.....	1st	Rev. J. E. Barry, Concord.
		Maria Donohoe.....	"	31		Housework	"	Ellen (Leary).....	"	"	
6	Loudon	James W. Smith.....	"	22		Carpenter	"	Margaret (Connell).....	P. E. Island.	"	Rev. J. L. McLaugh- lin, Loudon.
	Ridge	Harriet M. Pease.....	Loudon	23		Home	Loudon.....	Thomas H. Smith.....	Loudon.....	"	
1	Concord..	Jeremiah D. Pitts....	Concord	26		Silvermith	Nova Scotia	Carolene (Ly'e).....	London.....	2d	Rev. Thos. O'Leary, Concord.
		Catherine Basjure....	"	23		Housework	Ireland.....	J. D. Pease.....	London.....	1st	
1	"	Frank L. Sanders.....	"	48		Stationer	Chichester	Mary J. (Adams).....	London.....	2d	Rev. Geo. H. R. ed, Concord.
		Bessie A. Haine.....	"	46		Teacher	Salsbury	Michael Pitts.....	London.....	"	
2	"	Frank J. Morse.....	"	24		Barber	Concord	Margaret (Delory).....	London.....	1st	
		Bertha P. Engell.....	"	21		Home	"	Thomas (Passy).....	London.....	2d	
2	Woodstock Vt.	Thomas H. Pillsbury..	Concord	26		Clerk	Concord	Charles G. Sanders.....	Chichester	"	
		Sadie H. Hutchins....	Woodstock, Vt	29		Milliner	Massena, N. Y.	Abby M. (Ayer) Scribner	Chichester	"	
2	Concord	Everett E. Clough....	Concord	28		Clerk	Loudon.....	Elizabeth A. Stevens	Chichester	1st	Rev. Geo. W. Farmer, Penacook.
		Mary T. Clough.....	"	23		Home	Concord	Lizzie (Simonds).....	Chichester	"	
3	Manchester	John C. Crosby.....	"	22		Steam Fitter	England.....	John Engel.....	Chichester	"	
		Minnie B. Howland..	"	23		Home	Ryegate, Vt.	Mary (Harrington).....	Chichester	"	
3	"	Charles I. Hartwell....	"	25		Machinist	Chicago	Frank J. Pillsbury.....	Chichester	"	
		Mattie B. Crane.....	"	18		Home	Concord	Mary A. (Stanh-y).....	Chichester	"	
2	Concord	Fred S. Cass.....	"	28		Teamster	Epsom	Harriet A. Hutchins.....	Chichester	1st	Rev. F. D. Handy, Woodstock, Vt.
		Emma S. Hazelton....	"	23		Housework	Barre, Vt.	Louisa (Smith).....	Chichester	"	
								Jeremiah (Tough).....	Chichester	"	
								Harriet K. (Wales).....	Chichester	"	
								E. D. Clough.....	Chichester	"	
								Elizabeth (Couch).....	Chichester	"	
								Mary (Hartwell).....	Chichester	"	
								George Howard.....	Chichester	"	
								Matilda (Scott).....	Chichester	"	
								Charles (Robert).....	Chichester	"	
								Louisa (Fox).....	Chichester	"	
								Sarah N. Worth.....	Chichester	"	
								William (Hazelton).....	Chichester	"	
								Sarah (Fox).....	Chichester	"	

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24	Concord.	Fred W. Cobleigh.	Concord	26	W.	Hotel Cook	Laconia.	Ward (Cobleigh).	Center Harbor.	Painter	1st	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.
		Angelina Fox.	New Hampton.	26	"	Millner	Campton.	Jonathan Fox.	"	Housekeeper	"	
25	"	John F. Welsh.	Concord	35	"	Mining	Salem.	Emily J. (Bartlett).	Ireland.	Farmer	"	Rev. J. E. Barry, Concord.
		Teresa A. Foley.	"	32	"	Dressmaker	Concord	Mary (White).	"	Housewife.	"	
26	"	Dumont H. Carpenter	"	30	"	"	"	Daniel J. (Foley).	Concord	Belt maker	"	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.
		Eva M. Stevens.	"	20	"	Home.	Piermont.	Ellie (Cobleigh).	Glimanton	Stone cutter.	"	
27	Penacook.	Frank W. Bell-Je.	"	25	"	Clerk.	Concord.	Joseph M. Stevens.	Piermont.	Housewife.	"	Rev. D. F. Hurley, Penacook.
		Nancy E. Matot.	"	20	"	Home	Essex, N. Y.	Andrew Bell-Je.	Canada.	Harness maker	"	
30	Concord.	Pasquall Cutlano.	Concord	23	"	Laborer	Italy.	Mary R. (Hall).	Lowell, Mass.	Housewife	"	Rev. J. E. Barry, Concord.
		Anstilia Dinales.	"	20	"	Housework	"	Ellen S. (Sweeney).	Essex, N. Y.	Laborer.	"	
31	"	Henry Foulter.	"	27	"	Quarryman	Newark, Vt.	Michelle (Cutlano).	Italy.	Laborer.	"	Rev. J. N. Plante, Concord.
		Dora Provencal.	"	22	"	Home.	Canada.	Frank Foulter.	"	Housewife.	"	
								Kate (O-sier).	Canada.	Quarryman	"	
								Maxine Provencal.	"	Housewife.	"	
								Millie (Greenwood).	"	Laborer.	"	

NOVEMBER.

1	Concord.	Charles H. Hall.	New Castle.	Staman.	Newcastle.	William H. Hall.	Newcastle.	Ship rigger.	1st	Rev. John Yarn- Concord.
		Georgia A. Barnes.	Deerfield.	Housekeeper.	Deerfield.	Margaret (Smith).	Nova Scotia.	Housewife.	d	
3	"	John Meara.	Ireland.	Stonemason.	Ireland.	Ira J. French.	Lee.		1st	Rev. J. E. Barry, Concord.
		Erldget Oliver.	"	Housework.	"	Eliza Q. French.	Ireland.		"	
6	Penacook.	Alex. Miner.	Colerain, Mass.	Mill Operative.	Colerain, Mass.	Martin Meara.	Vermont.	Stationary eng.	"	Rev. D. F. Hurley, Penacook.
		Albina Shepard.	Pembroke.	"	Pembroke.	Mary Donahue.	Canada.	Housewife.	"	
8	Concord.	Albert A. Stewart.	R.R. Watchman No. Br wick, Me.	R.R. Watchman.	No. Br wick, Me.	Charles Oliver.	Wells, Me.	Farmer.	"	Rev. Edith Snow, Concord.
		Althea E. Fuller.	Concord.	Laundress.	Concord.	Frank Miner.	Ellsworth, Me.	Housekeeper.	"	
8	Penacook.	Ernest S. Royce.	"	Teamster.	"	Lydia A. Hildreth.	Seabrook, N. H.	Paper hanger.	"	Rev. Andrew (ilb- son, Roscawen.
		Rosa M. Oser.	London.	Mill Operative.	"	John H. Royce.	Hartford, Conn.	Farmer.	"	
9	Concord.	James J. Lane.	"	Loco. Engineer.	Ireland.	John I. Davis.	Canada.	Housewife.	"	Rev. J. E. Barry, Concord.
		Mary T. Kiley.	"	Housework.	"	John Oser.	Ireland.	Housewife.	"	
9	"	John Ahern.	"	Clerk.	Concord.	William Lane.	"	Quarryman.	"	Rev. J. E. Barry, Concord.
		Annie Conroy.	"	Housework.	Canada.	Thomas Kiley.	Canada.	Farmer.	"	
14	Penacook.	Walter E. Connor.	"	Weaver.	Cutler, Me.	Mary (O'Brien).	"	Housewife.	"	Rev. D. F. Hurley, Penacook.
		Catherl e E. Welch.	"	"	Haverhill.	Michael Ahern.	P. E. Island.	Schoemaker.	"	
20	Concord.	Louis Melhot.	"	Labourer.	Canada.	Matthew Conroy.	Ireland.	Farmer.	"	Rev. J. N. Plande, Concord.
		Antonie Lemay.	"	Housework.	"	Annie Nolan.	Canada.	Housewife.	"	
			"		"	Henry S. Conroy.	"		"	
			"		"	Catherine Kelly.	"		"	
			"		"	Thomas Welsh.	"		"	
			"		"	Mary (Whelan).	"		"	
			"		"	Alice Melhot.	"		"	
			"		"	Adelle LeFebvre.	"		"	
			"		"	Onesime Lemay.	"		"	
			"		"	Peggie (LeFebvre).	"		"	

MARRIAGES.—NOVEMBER.—Continued.

Date.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Name of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
23	Concord.	Henry C. Daniels.	Concord.	45	W.	Farmer.	Plainfield.	William Daniels.	Plainfield.	Mill Hand.	2d	Rev. J. H. Robbins, Concord.
		Ada M. Tibbetts.	Sanford, Me.	21	"	Home.	Saco, Me.	Fannie (Cotton) Howard Tibbetts.	Farmworth.	Housewife.	1st	
23	"	Sidney Wooster.	Concord.	46	"	Granite Cutter.	No Haven, Me.	Cora (Smith) Hiram Wooster.	Hollis, Me.	Farmer.	2d	Rev. Ellhu Snow, Concord.
		Ella Sweatt.	"	36	"	Clerk.	Canada.	Deborah (Norton) Stephen Pearson.	Vinal Haven, Me.	Housewife.	"	
								Patience (———).	Canada.	Housewife.	"	

DECEMBER.

6	Concord.	Alfred J. Fraser.	Concord.	27	W.	Granite Cutter.	Rockland, Me.	William C. Fraser.	Nova Scotia.	Granite-cutter.	1st	Rev. Geo. H. Reed, Concord.
		Margaret Williams.	"	23	"	Weaver.	Providence.	Sarah (Melbong) James Williams.	England.	Housewife.	"	
7	"	Walter E. Blake.	"	42	"	R. R. Conductor.	Worcester, Mass.	Elizabeth (Harrison) Simeon Blake.	Phillips, Me.	Housewife.	2d	Rev. H. F. Hill, (Concord.
8	"	Izetta D. Erickson.	"	39	"	Music Teacher.	Manchester.	William Badger.	Lowell, Mass.	Merchant.	"	Rev. John Vannevar, (Concord.
		John E. Davis.	Warren.	53	"	Station Agent.	Haverhill.	Rosina H. (Huntton) Daniel Davis.	Bath.	"	1st	Rev. C. A. G. Thurst-
		Sarah C. Merrill.	Concord.	53	"	Dressmaker.	Warren.	Mary S. (Olin) Nathaniel Merrill.	Phillips, Me.	Farmer.	2d	ton, Lancolia.
16	Tilton.	George N. Towle.	"	35	"	Prov. dealer.	Mercedith.	Judith (Little) Levi Towle.	Mercedith.	Housekeeper	1st	Rev. Geo. H. Reed, Concord.
		Florence G. Frise.	Tilton.	30	"	Teacher.	Tilton.	Elizabeth (———) William W. Frise.	Sandwich, Mass.	"	"	
21	Concord.	Jerome P. Nutting.	Poufret, Vt.	20	"	Farmer.	Ayer, Mass.	Charles A. Nutting.	Consent given by guardian.	Housekeeper	"	
		Emma E. Hazen.	Hartford, Vt.	19	"	"	Hartford, Vt.	Sarah A. Hazen.	"	"	"	
								Abbie (Munsell) ———.	"	"	"	

DEATHS.

Deaths Registered in the City of Concord, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1898.

JANUARY.

Date—1898.	Name and Surname of deceased.	Age.		Place of birth.	Sex and condition.		Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	
		Years.	Months.		Males.	Females.		Single, married and widowed.	Father.			Mother.
6	Nancy N. Philbrick	80	11	6	Grafton	W	W	Plumber	Grafton	Grafton	Morrill Hoyt	Experience Bullock.
6	Eugene I. Davis	31				M	"	"	"	"	Hiram Davis	Carriage George.
7	Bertha C. Heath	1		7	Penacook	"	"	"	"	"	Fred W. Heath	Bertha L. Moody.
8	Clara E. Flagg	8	7	10	East Concord	"	"	"	Natick, Mass.	Hebron	Frank A. Flagg	Nettie G. Tyrrell.
10	Thomas W. Sanborn	62		3	Deerfield	"	"	"	Deerfield	"	Peter Sanborn	"
15	Ellen J. Fellows	46	7	25	Concord	"	"	"	Orange, Vt.	Rumford, Me.	Albert H. Fellows	Alma Putnam.
18	George H. Hammond	41	9	21	Dunbarton	"	"	"	Carpenter	"	David Farley	"
19	Mary C. Newell	53			Rumney	"	"	"	"	"	James M. Hammond	Jane Hazen.
19	Mary E. Rollins	71			Concord	"	"	"	Cabot, Vt.	Tuftsboro	Sampson Minard	Mary Taylor.
20	Sylvanus S. Sanborn	51	9	10	Canterbury	"	S	"	Canterbury	Sanbornton	Hazen Sanborn	Ann March.
20	Annie E. Morrison	15	5	12	Concord	"	"	"	Concord	"	Wm. E. Morrison	Annie Cooper.
21	Gladys E. Elliott	56	5	29	"	"	"	"	Bow	"	Frank R. Elliott	Ivy M. Cutting.
23	Julia A. Johnson	60	11		Dover	"	M	Housewife	Sandwich	Rumney	Jacob Hurd	Mary Burnham.
23	Henry M. Sinclair	72	1	23	Haverhill	"	"	"	Greenland	Sutton	Moses Sinclair	Louisa Fifield.
23	Louisa A. Wilkins	58	1	23	Concord	"	"	"	"	"	Joseph Crummitt	"
26	Benjamin F. Leavitt	66	5	6	"	"	W	Painter	Concord	Haverhill	Geo. C. Robinson	Lilla A. Noble.
28	Laura F. Robinson	32	9	1	"	"	"	"	Concord	Ireland	Thos. H. Spellman	Ellen Driscoll.

MARGARET PILLSBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL.

g. 23.	James F. Holt	73	Concord.	M	"	M	Merchant.	Concord.	Concord.	James Holt	Nancy Abbott.
pt. 19.	Samuel McIntire		Concord.	"	"	"	Shoemaker.	"	"	"	"
t. 5.	Jane McAllister	82	Ireland.	"	F	W	Shoemaker.	"	"	"	"
g. 29.	James O. Cloutman	63	New Hampshire.	"	"	W	Merchant.	"	"	"	"
v. 13.	Milton W. Wilson	59	New Hampshire.	"	"	"	Housewife.	"	"	"	"
v. 15.	Susan Duffie	65	New Hampshire.	"	"	"	Printer.	"	"	"	"
c. 25.	Lewis Judson Bullard	32	Canada.	"	"	S	"	"	"	"	"

n. 30.	Charles W. Foster	46	5 12	Mont Vernon.	M	W	Laborer.	Mont Vernon.	Mont Vernon.	Newell D. Foster.	Eliza M. Averill.
y. 11.	Donald McPhee	20		P. E. Island.	"	"	Brakeman.	Scotland	P. E. Island.	Peter McPhee.	Catherine McCleod.
ne 11.	Eva L. Douglass	23	3	Vermont.	"	F	Housewife.	"	"	Napoleon Guthrie.	"
ly 21.	Albert H. Burbank	36		Hopkinton.	"	"	Teamster.	England.	Canada.	Lewis Labonty.	"
g. 23.	Rosa Brown	36	6 29	Townsend, Mass.	"	"	Housewife.	"	"	"	"
g. 23.	Charles W. Corser	62	8	Sallsbury, Mass.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
st. 16.	Levi E. Peters	29	2	Greenville	"	"	Hostler.	Canada.	Canada.	Anthony Peters.	"
t. 8.	Henry Melanson	24		Canada.	"	"	Harnessmaker	New Brunswick.	N. B.	Maxim Melanson.	Harriet Courlet.
t. 8.	William R. Bradbury	20	7	Portland, Me.	"	"	Shoemaker.	Bideford.	Lewiston.	Frank H. Bradbury	Mary S. Lowe.
17.	Kate Dornan	72		Ireland.	"	"	Coachman.	Ireland.	Ireland.	Michael Dornan.	"
18.	William M. McNeil	42	2	Scotland.	"	"	Housewife.	Scotland.	Scotland.	Wm. McNeil.	Flora McDougal.
v. 18.	Georgetta Garvin	59	8	Londonderry.	"	"	Housewife.	Lowell.	Londonderry.	Isaac Coburn.	Eliza Nesmith.
v. 18.	Harold S. Reed	17		Foxboro, Mass.	"	"	Clerk.	Maine.	"	Carroll Reed.	"
c. 15.	Mary Smith	40		Vermont.	"	"	Housewife.	"	"	"	"

t. 14.	Elizabeth A. Rogers	84	10 25	Derry.	"	F	Milliner.	Newbury, Mass.	Londonderry	Thos. D. Rogers	Mary McGregor.
c. 6.	Eliza Sargent.	81	6 29	Amesbury, Mass.	"	"	Housekeeper.	"	"	"	"

HOME FOR THE AGED.

t. 14.	Elizabeth A. Rogers	84	10 25	Derry.	"	F	Milliner.	Newbury, Mass.	Londonderry	Thos. D. Rogers	Mary McGregor.
c. 6.	Eliza Sargent.	81	6 29	Amesbury, Mass.	"	"	Housekeeper.	"	"	"	"

N. E. MEMORIAL HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

Date—1898.	Name and surname of deceased.	Age.		Place of birth.	Sex and condition.			Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden name of Mother.	
		Years.	Months.		Days.	Males.	Females.		Single, married, or widowed.	Father.			Mother.
13.	Ruth H Abbott.	56	5	East Concord.	.....	F.	W.	W	.....	E. Concord	Concord.	Wm. Pecker.	Susan D. Chandler.
11.	Fannie H. James.	36	5	10 Gilmanston.	.....	F.	"	S	.....	Tailoress.	Loudon.	Loren H. James.	Sarah B. Moore.
ODD FELLOWS' HOME.													
26.	William Gleason.	90	18	Weston, Mass.	.....	M.	W.	W	.....	Shoemaker.	Waltham.	Amos Gleason.	Anna Childs.
29.	Philetus Bliss.	78	6	28 Campton, P. Q.	M.	"	M	Campton.	Samuel Bliss.	Betsy Wallace.

STATE PRISON.

10. Robert Monroe.....	26	Ireland.....	M.	W.	S.	Weaver.....
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Total number of births for the year, 376
 " " marriages returned, 162
 " " deaths in the different wards, 249
 " " deaths in public institutions, 54
 " " brought to the city for burial, 64

[hereby certify that the foregoing is a transcript from the records of said city of Concord.

JOSEPH A. COCHRAN, City Clerk.

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N. H. MEMORIAL HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

Date—1898.	Name and surname of deceased.	Age.			Place of birth.	Sex and condition.			Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden name of Mother.	
		Years.	Months.	Days.		Males.	Females.	Colo.		Single, married, or widowed.	Father.			Mother.
Feb. 13.	Ruth H Abbott.....	56	5							E. Concord	Concord.	Wm. Packer.....	Susan A. Chandler...	
Feb. 11.	Fannie H. James.....	36	5	10	F.	"	W.	Tailoress.....		Loudon	Loren H. James...	Sarah E. Moore.....		

ODD FELLOWS' HOME.

26..	William Gleason.....	30	18 Weston, M as.....	M.	W	Shoemaker.....	Waltham.....	Waltham.....	Amos Gleason.....	Anna Childs.....
29..	Philetus Bliss.....	78	628 Campton, P. Q....	"	"	"	"	Campton.....	Samuel Bliss.....	Betsy Wallace.....

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JUNE.

2	George W. Mitchell.....	76	9-12	W Amherst/Fry, Mass	M	W	Palmer.....	Exeter.....		Caleb Mitchell.....
3	Edu E. Nyquist.....	1	5-23	Concord	"	"	"	Sweden.....		Jared Nyquist.....
4	Austin Ste van Ranney.....	57	5-4	Ashfield, Mass.	"	M	Com. Trav.			James S. Ranney.....
8	James S. Crockett.....	77	4-28	Northwood	"	"	Carpenter.....			Sam'l Crockett, Jr.....
10	Edmond Isabelle.....	51	9	Concord	"	W	Grocer	Canada.....		Walter P. Brown.....
13	Patrick D. Larkin.....	53	7	Canada	"	"	"	Ireland.....		Julian Isabelle.....
17	Corneilus Driscoll.....	81	"	Ireland	"	"	Laborer	"		Patrick Larkin.....
20	Annie Undergast.....	80	"	"	"	W	Homeskeeper	"		Daniel Driscoll.....
22	Mary G. Gauthier.....	33	5	West Concord	"	M	Hous-wife	Canada.....		Samuel Todds.....
23				Concord	"	"		Maine.....		Frank Fountain.....
24					"	"				Omer Lebrequin.....
25					"	"				New Hampshire.....
26					"	"				Frederick Johnson.....
27					"	"				Ireland.....
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DEATHS.—JULY.

Date—1896.	Name and surname of deceased.	Age.			Place of birth.	Sex and condition.			Occupation.	Place of birth.		Maiden name of mother.	
		Years.	Months.	Days.		Males.	Females.	Color.		Single, married, or widowed.	Father.		Mother.
1	John McArdle.....	34			Concord.....	M.		W.		Ireland.....	Ireland.....	Rose McGuire.	
2	Frank P. Colby.....	45		1	"	"		"	S	Farmer.....	Lowell, Mass.....	Leonora G. Greeley.	
3	Helen E. Prescott.....	52			"	"		"	"	Concord.....	Claremont.....	Phoebe A. Robinson.	
4	Lucy A. Merrill.....	63		16	Hartland, Vt.....	"		"	M	Housewife.....	Hartland, Vt.....	Marion E. Aeger.	
5	Winifred McGirr.....	88		15	Concord.....	"		"	"	Concord.....	Hartland, Vt.....	Tamlin B. Shaw.	
6	Edith J. Colby.....	86		9	Concord.....	"		"	W	Lecturer.....	Newburyport.....	Harriet J. Boyd.	
7	Frank Pillsbury.....	88		15	Hamilton, Mass.....	"		"	S	"	Essex, Mass.....	Mary Collins.	
8	Frank T. Whitcomb.....	80		8	Concord.....	"		"	"	Lakeport.....	Essex, Mass.....	Teresa B. Devlin.	
9	Albert H. Moores.....	80		8	"	"		"	"	Lakeport.....	Essex, Mass.....	Anna Smith.	
10	Maude E. Brooks.....	20		9	Maine.....	"		"	S	Butcher.....	Rockport, Me.....	Ida A. McLannett.	
11	John J. Converse.....	58		4	Concord.....	"		"	"	Concord.....	Concord.....	Mary S. Dow.	
12	Emphasias Gosselin.....	56		2	Canada.....	"		"	M	Housewife.....	Concord.....	Clara Hannell.	
13	Eliza Grover.....	16		2	Gilford.....	"		"	W	"	Canada.....	Roseline A. Coughlin.	
14	Henry Bombard.....	17		1	Concord.....	"		"	"	Milford.....	Deerfield.....	Roselabecque.	
15	Edith Hood.....	19		10	"	"		"	S	"	New York.....	Nancy Avery.	
16	Willis F. Gould.....	75		4	Lancaster, Mass.....	"		"	"	Vermont.....	New York.....	Rose Downing.	
17	Chas. W. Chase.....	41		27	Plymouth.....	"		"	W	Salem, Mass.....	Concord.....	Alfred F. Saltmarsh.	
18	Elia R. Libby.....	30		9	Concord.....	"		"	"	Ireland.....	Conn.....	Alice C. McCloud.	
19	Marand Tinsell.....	38		5	New London.....	"		"	"	Assal Tower.....	Alexander McKee.....	Abbie Avery.	
20	Minnie S. Wilkins.....	43		11	Chichester.....	"		"	S	Thornton.....	Thornton.....	Caroline A. Twala.	
21	Dorothy E. Waldron.....	27		28	Concord.....	"		"	"	Chas. Libby.....	Chas. Gullib.....	Harriet U. Davis.	
22						"		"	"	Chas. Gullib.....	Chas. Gullib.....	Grace E. Underhill.	
23						"		"	"	Geo. D. Wilkins.....	Geo. D. Waldron.....	Amy Chase.	
24						"		"	"	"	Wm. M. Mason.....		

AUGUST.

Hannah A. Sanborn.....	67	11	18	Webster.....	Housewife.....	Webster.....	Webster.....	Amos Stone.....	Naucy Couch.....
Alvah C. Ferner.....	62	11	18	Plymouth.....	Contractor.....	Hebron.....	Buxton, Me.....	Daniel E. Ferrin.....	Mary J. Durgin.....
Charles G. Sherburne.....	57	7	16	Chichester.....	Carpenter.....	Northwood.....	Middleton.....	Uriah S. Sherburne.....	Adeline B. Durgin.....
Ruth A. Jones.....	57	4	8	Concord.....	".....	So. Andover, Mass.....	Chelmsford, Mass.....	H. R. V. Jones.....	Laura W.....
Emma F. Dowd.....	57	2	"	".....	".....	Canada.....	Canada.....	Frank J. Dowd.....	Mary A. Farley.....
Joseph H. Turgeon.....	13	"	"	".....	".....	Pembroke.....	Epsom.....	Octave Maben.....	Mary A. Farley.....
Lillie O. Landburg.....	92	1	"	Pennsylvania.....	Housewife.....	Sweden.....	Sweden.....	Charles H. Turgeon.....	Ledia Grandreall.....
Lydia H. Mosely.....	92	3	27	Andover, Mass.....	Freeman.....	Plymouth, Me.....	Plymouth, Me.....	Charles C. Crosby.....	Emma J. Burnham.....
Ellen A. Spelman.....	94	"	"	Ireland.....	Conductor.....	Sweden.....	Sweden.....	Benj. Walker.....	Mary.....
Charles W. Crosby.....	94	"	"	Andover, Me.....	".....	France.....	France.....	Charles Veater.....	Mary Gahmson.....
Lillian A. Waldron.....	63	10	10	Warner.....	Carpenter.....	Westboro, Mass.....	Poyiston, Mass.....	Pierre Buth.....	Eglantine Seate.....
Lydia A. Veater.....	37	4	25	Concord.....	".....	".....	".....	Thomas Bond.....	Jemima H. Bush.....
Honore Bonith.....	37	1	"	France.....	".....	".....	".....	".....	".....
Clara B. Reynolds.....	89	8	4	Worcester, Mass.....	".....	".....	".....	".....	".....
Frederiah F. Trussell.....	78	"	"	".....	Tailress.....	Lancaster.....	Lancaster.....	Wm. Lovejoy.....	Laura Chapman.....
Marie Harris.....	36	16	"	Lancaster.....	Housewife.....	Boscawen.....	Boscawen.....	John J. Thurston.....	Thrice Y. Andrews.....
Phoebe F. Smith.....	50	8	"	Boscawen.....	Granite pol.....	Martin's Ferry.....	Wells, Me.....	Adrian S. Martin.....	Leticia A. Lamprey.....
Daniel S. Martin.....	35	6	21	Hopkinton.....	".....	Londonderry.....	E. Concord.....	J. M. Tuttle.....	Thrice M. Potter.....
Ruth Bailey.....	23	11	"	East Concord.....	".....	Weston, Mass.....	Springfield, Mass.....	J. M. C. Tuttle.....	Esther J. Bond.....
William R. Tuttle.....	23	1	3	".....	Housekeeper.....	Ireland.....	Ireland.....	Wm. Johnson.....	Catherine Reagan.....
Annie M. Johnson.....	39	1	11	Boscawen.....	".....	".....	".....	".....	".....

SEPTEMBER.

Mary J. Tabor.....	70	"	"	Scotland.....	S Housewife.....	St. Albans, Vt.....	St. Albans, Vt.....	Fred F. Greene.....	Assie M. Boynton.....
Marjorie June Greene.....	3	"	"	St. Albans, Vt.....	".....	Ireland.....	Ireland.....	Jeremiah Coffey.....	Nora T. Hearn.....
Jeremiah Coffey.....	23	1	"	Concord.....	Housewife.....	St. John, N. B.....	St. John, N. B.....	Harry C. Cleveland.....	Mary E. Forsythe.....
Henrietta M. Martin.....	84	5	6	Yonkers, N. Y.....	Fireman.....	Ireland.....	Ireland.....	Patrick Bray.....	Catherine.....
Coleman Bray.....	84	5	6	Ireland.....	".....	Canada.....	Canada.....	Ludger Audet.....	Marie.....
Joseph Wilfred Audet.....	89	12	"	Concord.....	Housewife.....	Litchfield.....	Litchfield.....	Samuel Colosse.....	Sarah Bixby.....
Mary A. Robertson.....	89	4	14	Litchfield.....	".....	Dartmouth, N. S.....	Dartmouth, N. S.....	Edwin B. Prescott.....	Harriet B. Potter.....
Robert Warren Wirell.....	321	"	"	Concord.....	S.....	Epsom.....	Concord.....	Edwin B. Prescott.....	Eliza J. Elliott.....
George Dudley Prescott.....	95	"	"	".....	Housewife.....	Dunbarton.....	Hopkinton.....	Chas. A. Burroughs.....	Fannie G. Chandler.....
Emma M. Shaw.....	60	1	2	Concord.....	".....	".....	".....	".....	".....
Annie May Burroughs.....	1	"	"	".....	".....	".....	".....	".....	".....

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Name and Surname of deceased.	Age.			Place of birth.	Sex and condition.			Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	
	Years.	Months.	Days.		Males.	Females.	Color.		Single, married, widowed.	Father.			Mother.
Frank E. D. F. Ash.....	3	24	Concord	M		W			Bristol	England	George N. Ash	Mary A. King.	
Oliver V. Bourke.....		9	"	"	S	"			Canada.	Canada	Victor A. Bourke	Victor A. The-sler.	
Minnie Maria Jackman.....	26	8	Bristol	"	F	"		Housewife	Concord.	Bristol	Chas. L. Jackman	Minnie Maria Day.	
Horace C. Frouser.....	77	11	24 Fosterville	"	"	M		Blacksmith	Rochester.	England	James F. Frouser	Hattie Emmons.	
Charles H. Brown.....	56	5	East Concord	"	"	"		Housewife	Rochester	Rochester, Me.	Joseph B. Wm.	Eliz. J. Prouse.	
Leola Francis Wilnot.....			Ireland	"	"	"			Ireland	Ireland.	Wm. Sullivan	Lillian A. Russell.	
Margaret Grauey.....	73	1	Concord.	"	"	"			Canada	Woburn, Mass.	Everett E. White.	Mary Pierce.	
John D. Fife.....		8	"	"	"	"			Pembroke	How.	Joel Fife.	Wm. Gonzalvo.	
Marton Ester Potter.....		4	"	"	"	"			Burlington.	Canada.	Alonso Potter	Lois Morgan.	
Philus Lefebvre.....	74	5	10 Orleans, Mass.	"	S	"			Poultney, Vt.	Poultney, Vt.	Philus Lefebvre	Mary E. Johns.	
Mary J. Robinson.....	74	1	5 Orleans, Mass.	"	W	"		Mechanic	Poultney, Vt.	Poultney, Vt.	Cyrus Thompson	Exella Valley.	
Zobie H. Sparrow.....	42	10	6 Grafton	"	"	"		Housewife	Orange.	Orange, Mass.	Samuel Sparrow	Sarah Tyler.	
Nellie E. Pinnuer.....	71	3	14 Concord	"	M	"			Orange.	Orange.	Eljah W. Hittler	Hopey Paine.	
Ether E. Jordan.....			Concord	"	"	"			Ireland.	Concord.	Patrick Jordan	Ruth B. Eastman.	
Lyman Sawyer.....	75	10	28 Grafton	"	"	"		Farmer	Windsor, Vt.	Plymouth, Mass.	Oliver Sawyer.	Mary R. Gendron.	
William G. Mason.....	21	6	New Hampshire	"	"	"		Contractor	New Brunswick.	New Brunswick.	John Mason	Betsy Russell.	
Elizabeth H. Pelkey.....			Canada.	"	"	"		Housewife.	New Brunswick.	New Brunswick.			

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Rachel E. Norton.....	48	1	Canada.		M	Housewife	Canada.	Stephen Person.	Patience Fields.
Lilla R. Nelson.....	6	16	Concord.		"	"	Sweden	Carl Nelson	Hannah Linquist.
Martha E. Stevens.....	10	15	"		"	"	New Hampshire.	Arthur H. Stevens.	Mary B. Auger.
Edw. A. Morgan.....	69	6	Boscawen	M	W	"	Connecticut	A. S. Morgan.	Etta Mr. Beray.
Judith R. Tamblin.....	32	2	New Hampshire.	"	"	"	New Jersey	Jotham Tuttle.	— Butler.
Ph. Jas Lefebore.....	315	3	Suncook N. H.	"	"	"	Canada.	Mc D Russell Wadrow	Della M. —.
Chandler E. Stevens.....	86	4	Concord	"	W	Stone cutter	Epson	Alfred Lefebore.	Orenis Lefebore.
Nath n Mansur.....	76	4	Canada	"	M	Silversmith	Canada	Philip Stevens.	Oliver Locke.
Betsy Dow.....	88	6	Hopkinton	"	W	"	"	Joseph wansur.	Louise —.
Narcisse Gaudranlt.....	58	8	Canada	"	M	Carpenter.	Chichester	Eben Ordway.	Eulice Lawrence.
Sarah M. Parker.....	6	11	Hopkinton	"	"	Housekeeper	Canada	Jonathan Rickford.	Sabrina C. Straw.
Harri t Hengphill.....	77	11	Hollis	"	W	"	"	Joseph Bonetant.	Julia Luc a.
Florence Thomson.....	43	"	Vermont	"	M	"	"	Benj. Raugar.	Eliza Wools.
Abraham H. Robinson.....	85	9	Concord	"	W	Physician.	Stratham	Jo-shah Robinson.	Lucy Sanborn.

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Silas G. Chase.....	76	2	Millbury, Mass.	M	W	Carpenter	Millbury	Newburyport.	Sally Burlank.
William H. Hurd.....	68	"	Dover	"	"	Painter.	New Hampshire.	Sacutapa Me	Johanna Lord.
Patrick Ryan.....	51	7	Ireland.	"	"	Mill operative	Ireland	Campton	Julia Tracey.
Merwin C. Roberts.....	29	1	Concord	"	"	Stone-cutter	Moultonboro.	"	Julia A. Small.
Jermiah H. Hersby.....	46	6	England	"	W	Wheelwright.	England	Woodstock	Abigail Powell.
William Henry Opie.....	40	5	England	F	M	Stone-cutter.	Barnard, Vt.	Salisbury	Mary Laurie.
Fanny E. Culver.....	36	11	Barnard, Vt.	"	S	Housewife	New London	"	Emily Holmes.
Mary C. Everett.....	33	11	Hill	"	"	R. R. con.	Ireland.	Deerfield.	Harriet Callier.
Hugh Magee.....	36	3	Ireland	"	M	Teacher.	Northwood.	Concord.	Sarah Jane Nealey
Atchafate S. Hill.....	48	7	Boston	"	"	"	"	Newport, N. H.	Hattie M. Sargent.
Ralph F. Sullivan.....	4	10	Concord	"	M	Retired.	Dunstable	Canada	Thankful Wilcox.
Nath'l F. Lund.....	79	1	Cornish	"	"	"	Canada	"	Eldridge Cote.
Mario Courchesne.....	1	1	East Concord	"	S	section hand	London	"	— St. George.
Robert Davis.....	1	1	Concord.	"	"	Housekeeper	Canterbury	"	Abigail Bria.
John Flanagan.....	80	4	Canterbury	"	W	"	"	"	Mary F. —.
John Flanagan.....	69	5	Hallfax	"	M	Housekeeper	"	"	Harvey Balrock.
Ira W. Sanborn.....	48	2	Concord	"	M	Stone-cutter.	"	"	Daniel Donovan.
Lucius S. Balcock.....	48	2	Danville, Vt.	"	"	Painter.	Ireland	"	"
Daniel E. Donovan.....	43	1	Concord	"	S	Lawyer.	"	"	"

DEATHS-DECEMBER

Date-1898.	Name and Burial of deceased.	Age.		Place of birth.	Sex and condition			Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.		Males.	Females.	Color.		Father.	Mother.		
1	Charles F. Sleeper.	37	7	Concord.	M.		W	Carpenter.	Hyde Park, Vt.	Paris.	Edw'd. C. Dutton.	Marié Bowmin.
2	Lizzie B. Chandler.	30	5	Salisbury.		F	"	Housewife.	Ireland.	Ireland.	Samuel Sleeper.	
3	William J. Lyster.	38	13	Northport, N. S.	"		"	Prov. dealer.	Ireland.	Ireland.	Wm. Ferguson.	Mary F. Flynn.
4	William H. Allen.	38	5	Concord.	"		"		Walpole, Mass.		James H. Lyster.	Hannah Wade.
5	Abbie Berry.	33	6	Seckonk, Mass.	"		"	Housewife.	Hardland, Vt.		Renj. Allen.	Mary G. Hardy.
6	Annie Laundry.	37	1	Croydon.	"		"	Farmer.	Canada.	Canada.	James O'Hara.	Mary Durant.
7	Gilman Juddkins.	70	10	Concord.	"		"	Housewife.	Deerfield.	Wentworth.	Napoleon Laundry.	Rebekah Dockham.
8	Herman Prince.	10	8	Wentworth.	"		"	Housewife.	Canada.	Canada.	Joseph T. Juddkins.	Joset Shovel.
9	Lydia C. Mason.	103	2	Enfield.	"		"	Foreman.	Salem.		Joseph Dubal.	Martina Bonney.
10	Charles E. Savory.	75	5	Corinth, Vt.	"		"	Painter.	Salem.	Willon, N. H.	Wm. Savory.	Mary Holt.
11	Matilda N. Fogelberg.	33	10	Sweden.	"		"	Dressmaker.	Sweden.	Sweden.	Johanna Fogelberg.	Susan Nichols.
12	William D. Locke.	60	2	Co. cord.	"		"	Farmer.	Rye, N. H.	Meredith.	Wm. T. Locke.	Mary Butlerman.
13	Cornelius Lewis.	83	7	Ireland.	"		"	Butcher.	Ireland.	Ireland.	John Lewis.	Nannie Prouse.
14	Jessie Bell Tonkin.	55	1	Concord.	"		"	Housewife.	England.	Westfield, Me.	Geo. Tonkin.	Mina Turner.
15	Lucy E. Hayes.	55	9	Dead River, Me.	"		"	Con. & builder.	Industry, Me.	Bow.	L. Gray.	Ruth Purnam.
16	Wm. P. Silver.	53	16	Dunbarton.	"		"	Housekeeper.	Dunbarton.	Ireland.	John P. Silver.	Mary O'Brien.
17	Mary Ducey.	64		Ireland.	"		"		Irland.		Patric O. Connell.	John Katime.
18	Johanna Kaimé.	72			"		"		Dorchester, N. H.	Bale Veite, N.	Thomas C. Chapman.	Mary Jane Crane.
19	Francis Caroline Flint.	44	2	Bale verte, N. B.	"		"					

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Deaths in Public Institutions for the Year Ending December 31, 1898.

N. H. ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE.

Date—1898.	Name and Surname of deceased.	Age.		Sex and condition.		Place of birth.		Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Males.	Females.	Color.	Single, married and widowed.		Father.	Mother.		
Jan. 8	William Broadbert.	51		M	W		M	Weaver.	Canterbury		Joseph C. Sanborn.	
" 15	Howard Sanborn	42	20	"	"	"	M	Farmer.			Orlando Clark.	Marla —
" 16	Emma Anderson	47	9 3	"	F	"	S	Housekeeper				
" 20	Edwaine C. Barbour.	67		"	"	"	W	Laborer.				
" 22	Edward W. Moulton.	51		"	"	"	M	Farmer.				
" 22	Jackson Dustin.	61		"	"	"	M	Farmer.				
" 27	Burton A. Knight.	34	6	"	"	"	W	Salesman.	Hancock	Londonderry	John B. Knight	Nancy E. Richardson.
" 30	Polly M. Whitteher.	73		"	"	"	W	Housekeeper				
Feb. 8	Martha Allen.	76		"	"	"	"	Agent				
" 8	Charles H. Tillotson.	69		"	"	"	"	Hostler.				
" 18	Edward A. Young	51		"	"	"	W	Teacher.	Ireland	Ireland	John McNulty.	Isabella McCaffrey.
" 27	Isabella G. McNulty.	64		"	"	"	S	Laborer.				
Mar. 8	Thomas Trutt	37		"	"	"	M	Carpenter.				
" 21	Adolphus Lemay	31		"	"	"	M	Clergyman.				
" 30	E. H. Prescott	66		"	"	"	"	Housewife				
Apr. 11	Fannie M. Pierce	74		"	"	"	"	Manufacturer.				
" 12	Francis B. French.	64		"	"	"	"	Farmer				
" 25	John Dennison.	70		"	"	"	"					
May 3	Henry Kouris	24		"	"	"	"					
" 13	Hattie Wood	32		"	"	"	S	Housewife				
June 20	John P. Kestman	37		"	"	"	"	Farmer.				
" 22	Jonathan B. Wyman.	81	3 24	"	"	"	M	Carpenter.				
July 12	Thomas B. Clough	64		"	"	"	M	Farmer.				
" 22	Charles Batchelder.	40		"	"	"	"	Farmer				
" 26	John S. Treadwell.	80		"	"	"	"	Housework.	Ireland	Ireland	James McMahan.	Mary Mullins
" 29	Mary McMahan.	53		"	"	"	"					

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